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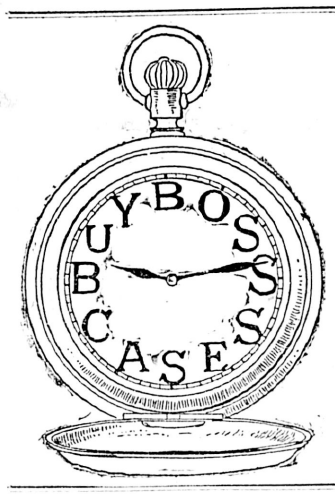

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Victoria Building Society.

A GENERAL MEETING of the above society will be held at Harmony Hall, View street, on Wednesday evening, the 22nd of October, 1890, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of holding the fifteenth drawing for an appropriation.
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"Jack the Ripper" Says He Intends to Transfer His Operations to Ireland.

The London Dock Dispute Settled—The Socialist Congress in Germany—The Australian Strikes.

An American's Opinion of the McKinley Bill and Reciprocity with Canada.

Reciprocity With Canada.

LONDON, Oct 15.—Robert P. Porter, head of the U. S. Census department, spoke today to a London journalist on the McKinley bill and kindred subjects. After listening to Porter's eloquent defence of that measure, the Englishman referred to the reports that America was at bottom in favor of free trade.

"That's all moonshine," answered Porter, "I undertake to say that the United States is to-day miles further away from free trade than you are from a reasonable tariff of articles of luxury."

"But Mr. Mundella and David Wells on your side say that the McKinley bill is only a payment to the manufacturers of the money subscribed for election expenses."

"Such a statement is a libel on the intelligence of American citizens."

"We hear occasionally about a party on your side favoring reciprocity."

"Well, Canada is bumptious, and at times irritating. That little neighbor of ours wants to secure in return for a market of 5,000,000 or 6,000,000 people one of 64,000,000. What Canada does or does not want, is not a matter over which the American people spend many sleepless nights. To assume that the McKinley bill was intended as an implication of unfriendliness to Canada is grotesque. On equal terms reciprocity with Canada is out of the question. The only way to secure a home market with 64,000,000 people is to become part of the union."

"One question more, and an important one, How does it come about that you, brought up as an Englishman, appear so stanch a protectionist?"

"I don't know that my being an Englishman has much to do with it one way or other. I have seen the benefits of protection all over the country. In the western states it has dotted the prairies with prosperous centres of industry. In the eastern states it has built up immense industries. Under this system we are rapidly becoming the first manufacturing, as well as the first agricultural, nation on earth, and when our new shipping bill becomes a law, we shall struggle hard to reach the top as a commercial nation. Then, when I was a young man I was a great student of Cobden and of Bright's speeches, and reading these strengthened my belief in protection, when I saw how little their glittering promises were realized.

London Dockmen Aid Australian Strikers.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The Dockmen's Union to-day resolved to call a delegates' meeting for Oct. 23, representing 15,000 men, to consider the raising of £2,000 for the Australian strikers. The striking societies of furnace men have issued an appeal to the public and trade associations for assistance. They require £700 weekly.

The Dock Dispute Settled.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The dock dispute has been settled on a basis of payment of a shilling per ton for unloading instead of an hour rate.

The Australian Strike a Disaster.

SYDNEY, Oct. 14.—In a speech in the chamber to-day the premier declared the present strike in Australia had been almost as disastrous to the country as a bombardment would be. The government, he said, was determined to be supreme.

O'Mahoney Acquitted.

DUBLIN, Oct. 14. — The case against O'Mahoney, charged with conspiracy in connection with Dillon and O'Brien was dismissed by the Crown to-day.

"Jack the Ripper" Gives Warning.

DUBLIN, Oct. 14.—A notice purporting to have been written by "Jack the Ripper" has been found posted in a Roman Catholic church at Killarney. It is to the effect that the notorious murderer intends to transfer his operations to this county.

Forestalling the Tariff.

PARIS, Oct. 14.—Le Soir states that 250,000 bottles of champagne, valued at $400,000, were sent to New York on speculation to forestall the operations of the new tariff law.

Tallyrand's Niece Dead.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The death is announced of the Marquise Castlemane, the grand-niece of Tallyrand, who influenced him to become reconciled to the Church of Rome.

Waiting for the Verdict.

LONDON, Oct. 14. — The international prize fight between Billy McCarthy, of Australia, and Ted Pritchard for the middleweight championship, which was to have been decided in the Pelican club, has been postponed until the Slavin-McAuliffe case is ended.

Socialist Congress in Germany.

HALLE, Oct. 15.—A "commence" was given, last night, to the delegates to the Socialist Congress in the Prince Karlbitern hall. Three thousand people attended. The red flag, the emblem of the Socialists, which for ten years has been under the ban in Germany, floated from the platform, from which a number of speeches were made. The proceedings were interspersed with songs. A series of tableaux vivantes were given, representing "The struggle of labor against capital," "The protection of labor" and "The dismissal of Bismarck." Herr Beck, of Zurich, explained that when he was exiled from Germany he carried the flag that was on the platform from Kassel to Zurich, where he kept it in safety until it was now returned to his home. Herr Woolscharger, of Basil, said he was ashamed of the injustice shown by Switzerland toward the German socialists, but no blame should be attached to either the people or the government, because the country, being small, was exposed to the pressure of powerful neighbors. He believed the Swiss government deplored the action it was compelled to take. In the general discussion several members indulged in violent language. Von Volmarr, in the interests of harmony, implored the delegates to avoid the use of irritating political language. A resolution was adopted and ordered to be transmitted to the government, declaring it was the duty of a Constitutional Government to remit the penalty under which the victims of the socialist law are suffering.

Irish Politics in Rome.

LONDON, Sept. 15.—The Star states that Rt. Rev. Michael Logue, Archbishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Armagh, and Primate of all Ireland; the Rt. Rev. Wm. F. Walsh, D.D. of Dublin, and Rt. Rev. Thos. W. Croke, Archbishop of Tuam, have received a summons from the Holy Father to appear in Rome early next year. The Star considers this an unusual and significant step, and one not often adopted. It is only known to a few that the summons has been issued and the Archiepiscopacy is greatly interested in the matter. It is thought in some quarters that the summons has a bearing on Irish politics.

Ticino Government Restored.

BERNE, Oct. 14.—The conservative government in Ticino agreed to assume power again to-day. The conditions made by the Bundesrath in reinstating the former government are that Colonel Kunzli shall have direction of the police and control of elections, and the right to veto any political acts of the cantonal authorities shall be retained by the federal government. The conservatives will send delegates to a conciliation conference. Respini, head of the conservative government, has resigned.

The Anglo-Portuguese Dispute.

LISBON, Oct. 14.—A dispatch from the governor of Mozambique, dated October 11th, confirms the report that English gunboats have entered the Zambezi river. The greatest excitement prevails throughout Portugal over the news, which shows that England is determined to enforce the provisions of the Anglo-Portuguese convention without waiting for the approval of Portugal. England has for a long time aspired to control the Zambezi river, and free navigation of that important stream was the leading clause in the convention which has aroused so much opposition in Lisbon. In accordance with the ultimatum which, as cabled last week, was sent by Lord Salisbury, the English seem to have now forcibly entered the river, thereby ignoring Portugal's right to approve or disapprove the compact, and virtually committing an act of war. The feeling of the Portuguese generally is strong in favor of hostile retaliation against Great Britain, and the Socialists are doing all they can to stimulate popular excitement to frenzy and revolution. Several Spanish men-of-war and an Italian naval division are at Lisbon watching the course of events. The new cabinet, to-day, took the oath of allegiance to the King. The ministry is a coalition one.

A Salvation Army Funeral.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—The funeral of Mrs. Gen. Booth, who is known as the "mother of the Salvation army," took place to-day. It was made the occasion of a great demonstration by that organization. The weather was exceedingly disagreeable, a murky fog enveloping the city, but despite this thousands of persons assembled in the streets to witness the funeral procession. The route from the Thames embankment, where the army mustered, to Abney Park cemetery, where the remains were interred, lay through a densely populated district. The entire route was lined with dense crowds and the windows of houses were thronged. All railways entering London ran excursion trains. The throng in the city was augmented by immense numbers of Salvationists and friends from the provinces. There was also a large attendance from foreign countries. The army was attired in uniform, wearing the white badge of mourning, and was everywhere conspicuous. The crowd surpassed in numbers that which gathered on lord mayor's day. The demonstration was a convincing proof that the Salvation army wields a powerful influence throughout the country.

Doleful News from the Sea.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—A number of casks of tallow, bearing various marks, have been rescued from the water at Land's End. Some of them were marked "Armour, Chicago." A number of carcasses of sheep have been washed ashore at Hartland. This wreckage is probably from vessels lost in the fog.

Stock Market Weakens.

LONDON, Oct. 14.—Prospects of political complications coming out of the difficulty between England and Portugal have caused a decline in London this morning in all securities, and Americans have suffered with the rest. It is rumored that a large outside house is in trouble.

O'Brien and Dillon's Whereabouts.

DUBLIN, Oct. 15.—A Dublin telegraph's Paris despatch states that Messrs. O'Brien and Dillon arrived in a yacht at Cherbourg and are now staying at a hotel in that place.

DROWNED IN THE FRASER.

One of the Firemen of the Yosemite Falls Overboard at Westminster—The Body Not Yet Recovered.

(Special to THE COLONIST.)

NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., Oct. 15.—At 8 o'clock this evening, a fireman on the Yosemite, named Fife, fell off the gang-plank between the steamer Louise and the dock, and was drowned before help could reach him. The man was intoxicated. He had been drinking at an up-town saloon, and came down to make a call on some of his mates on the Louise. In returning he met his death. Search was made, but without avail, and the river will be dragged to-morrow to try and find the body.

Baby carriages and bird cages at Cheapside

We are in receipt of advance shipments of Christmas goods, T. N. Hibben & Co.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Birchell Busily Engaged in Writing an Account of His Life for Publication.

A St. Catharines Man Absconds, Being a Defaulter to the Tune of $45,000.

The Hartington Syndicate Wants $700,000 Annually for the Fast Atlantic Service.

(From Our Own Correspondent).

OTTAWA, Oct. 15.—C. J. Bowell, son of the Minister of Customs, has been appointed departmental representative at Tacoma, vice Robertson, deceased.

The Militia department is waiting for information from Col. Holmes respecting the number of men required for "C" battery before communicating with "B" and "A" batteries.

The Customs department has given notice that seed catalogues for Canadian houses printed in the States and mailed there to customers in the Dominion, will hereafter be charged duty.

The Hartington syndicate for the fast Atlantic service is asking $700,000 annually.

A. M. McRae, secretary and treasurer of the Security Loan and Trust company, of St. Catharines, has absconded, being a defaulter to the extent of $45,000. By his genial manner and accommodating ways he had gained a very high place in the estimation of his fellow townsmen. It is said that he has gone to Mexico, fearing extradition from the United States.

J. R. Birchell is industriously writing a sketch of his life, and expects to have it completed within a week. The manuscript will cover about a hundred pages of foolscap. The first part, which is already written, contains an account of some of the more interesting incidents of his early life, youthful escapades, narrow escapes, etc. He is at present negotiating with a number of publishers who are willing to put the sketch into print and pay him for it. Whatever sum he receives for it he intends handing over to his wife. The manuscript will likely go the highest bidder.

ANOTHER FIRE.

Total Destruction of the Leland Hotel, a Six-Story Building, in New York.

Twenty-Five People Lose Their Lives in Attempting to Escape—Meagre Details.

SYRACUSE, Oct. 16.—The Leland hotel is on fire. It is the largest hotel in Central New York. The fire started at one o'clock this morning.

At 2.15 a.m. the fire is still burning. Nine engines are playing streams on the flames, but the building will prove a total loss. An eye-witness says that he saw 25 people lose their lives in attempting to escape. All is confusion. The fire started shortly before one o'clock. It is also said that five or six people were injured, besides the dead. The hotel is six stories high. The fire caught in the kitchen and spread rapidly. It soon enveloped the entire building.

At 2:30 a.m. the hotel was entirely destroyed. The fire started at 1:15, and in three minutes after the building was entirely enveloped in flames. The number of killed is estimated at twenty-five. Among those injured is Cora Tanner, who was severely burned about the head and feet She was playing an engagement at the Grand Opera House, and had a room in the hotel. Every physician in the city is on the ground. Miss Tanner's is the only name so far obtained. Most of those killed were on the fourth and fifth stories. The total loss will reach half a million.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

Ship on Fire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—Shortly after midnight a good deal of excitement was caused along the water front by the statement that a ship on fire was coming through Golden Gate. Soon afterward the tall spars of a craft were to be seen wrapped in flames moving past Meigg's wharf, in tow of a tug, which was sounding her whistle as a warning to other vessels in the bay. It was soon ascertained that the burning vessel was the Maid of Orleans.

The schooner Maid of Orleans, Captain Atwood, belonging to Preston & McKinnan, sailed on the 12th for Shoal Water bay to load lumber for this port. When 75 miles from the Farallones she was discovered to be on fire. Capt. Atwood immediately put about and ran for port. When off North Head the tug Wizard picked her up and towed her to Mission Flats, where the flames were extinguished. Having no load, the damage was much smaller than it would have been otherwise.

Trembling on the Brink.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 15.—The steamer Jeannie, which left yesterday for Seattle, has returned to port, after a thrilling experience. When about five miles north of Point Reyes, she sprung a leak, and water poured rapidly into her. All fire possible was put on, and the vessel put about for port again. There were 15 tons of gunpowder and 10 tons of giant powder aboard, and the sparks from the smoke stack, which at times was red hot, fell among the dangerous portion of the cargo. The crew every moment expected to be blown into eternity, but the hose, which was turned on the powder, prevented its becoming ignited. The firemen had a hard time of it, working all the time in water. The Jeannie reached port safely.

Purses and fancy goods at Daley's.

Musical photo albums at T. N. Hibben & Co.

DEATH OF CAPT. DUNN.

The Popular Master of the H. B. Co.'s Bark Titania Meets an Untimely End at Westminster.

(From our own Correspondent.)

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 15—This morning, about 6 o'clock, some workmen discovered the body of a man lying face down, on a layer of slabs, at the east end of the Columbia street extension, near the C.P.R. depot. To their horror and surprise they found it to be that of Captain Dunn, master of the bark Titania. The face was much bruised and discolored, as there had been a considerable effusion of blood, and the clothing was saturated with the rains of the preceding night. It could be seen at a glance that the unfortunate gentleman had, in the darkness, stepped off the edge of the track and fallen on his face on the rough timber. At the place where the accident occurred is part of an extension not filled up, a space of twenty feet being left vacant. Workmen last evening had begun laying another pile of slabs and built them up to a height of some two feet, when they stopped work. Upon this layer Captain Dunn struck in his fall. The distance from the level of the street to where the body was found was about six feet. Death was probably instantaneous, as the deceased was well on in years and inclined to "embonpoint." The theory has been advanced that he was probably stunned by the fall, and perished from exposure to the inclement weather of last night. Little doubt exists that death came very quickly after so serious a concussion upon a frame so ill-adapted to endue such a shock. The accident undoubtedly occurred through the captain mistaking his way, being misled by the manner in which several freight cars were placed at this point. Just off the south side of Columbia street stood one freight car, and between it and the gate was left a space almost as wide as the street. A person coming along the south sidewalk of Columbia street after leaving the platform of the depot would, if a stranger, walk straight off the edge of the dock, passing between the cars, as Captain Dunn doubtless did. Had the cars been shunted away from the street, as they should have been, or left in a manner that would not have formed a perfect trap for strangers passing westward of Columbia street, there is every possibility that Capt. Dunn would have seen the lights on the wharf on his right, and been thereby enabled to ascertain his bearings.

Immediately after finding the body, Coroner Capt. Pittendrigh proceeded to impanel a jury. The corpse, after being viewed by the coroner where it was found, was taken on board the Titania and laid in the captain's cabin. The ship's flags were lowered to half-mast, and symptoms of the deepest grief were noticed among the officers and crew, by whom deceased was almost idolized. When in Westminster, on the voyage before the present one, he was the guest of his Lordship Bishop Sillitoe, who held Capt. Dunn in the highest esteem as a friend and as a man. Many other old friends of the Captain in Westminster were delighted when they had the opportunity to renew their acquaintance with him, and since his arrival in port have done everything to show their esteem for him. One and all unite in praise of the fine, bluff, hearty, English kindness which animated Captain Dunn. Needless to say the announcement of the melancholly affair cast a terrible gloom over the city; the accident was discussed everywhere by all with feelings of sympathetic sorrow. Only yesterday the captain had received a letter from home, reporting everything well and his family waiting for his happy return to old England. The captain was not the man to keep his joy moodily to himself. He freely informed his friends here of the happiness the contents of the letter brought him. He was in high spirits last evening, and his friends say they never saw him so jovial and happy. Accompanied by Mr. R. McFarland (agent for Messr. Bell-Irving, Patterson & Co.) Capt. Dunn attended the play in the opera house last night and enjoyed it very much. About 10:30 the two gentlemen left the theatre and called at the club, where Captain Dunn had a long conversation with Messrs. A. Ewen and D. J. Munn. Some time after 12 o'clock, the captain and Mr. Ewen left the club and set off home. Mr. Ewen bade Captain Dunn good-night at the corner of Begbie and Columbia streets, and went up the former street to his own residence, the captain walking off westward along Columbia street. Mr. Ewen, therefore, was probably the last man who saw and spoke to the captain before he met his sad and untimely death.

Captain Dunn was probably one of the best known merchant ship captains in the service to-day, his reputation as a thorough seaman and able navigator being known and respected everywhere. He was about 58 years of age, and he spent 46 years at sea, 26 as a master. He was captain of the Titania for six years, and brought her here on her first voyage to this coast about six years ago. Since that time he has visited the Pacific coast five times in the same staunch ship. Captain Dunn was a native of London, England, where he leaves a found wife and four children, the eldest being sixteen years old. The remains will be buried here. There was some talk of embalming the body and sending it home by the Titania, but it is said the superstitions of the seamen regarding the carrying of corpses at sea were not to be overcome, even in this exceptional instance.

An inquest was held this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, in the City Hall. The witnesses were Messrs. A. Ewen R. McFarland, Mr. Morman, mate of the Titania, and several others. The evidence went to show that the deceased was in his usual good health, and was last seen alive this morning. The fullest particulars as to the position of the cars which stood near the fatal spot were exacted, and strong suspicions of negligence on the part of those who had charge of them were entertained.

The jury returned the following verdict: "That Capt. James L. Dunn came to his death by falling over the C.P.R. wharf, a distance of six feet, on account of there being no danger signal at that point. The jury recommended that a light be placed at that place, and that the C.P.R. Co. be notified not to leave their cars at that portion of the track."

It is probable that Mr. Henry Norman, first mate of the ship, who has the necessary papers and certificate, will succeed the deceased captain. The matter, however, will be decided by Commissioner T. R. Smith of the Hudson's Bay Co., who is in the city.

All the papers at Daley's.

THE OCEAN TERMINUS OF THE NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

PORT CRESCENT.

A FEW UNDENIABLE FACTS:

President T. F. Oakes says the Victoria, Port Crescent and Chehalis Railway will be completed by the 31st December, 1891. This will make Port Crescent the terminus of the strongest corporation on the American Continent. Work on the breakwater will commence immediately and will be completed during next year; the Harbor will then accommodate 120 ships, allowing one cable (see Minard on Harbors) to each large merchant vessel in which to swing, not including twice that number which might be tied up to wharves. Port Crescent will then be possessed of one of the best harbors on the coast.

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WORK OF THE SYNOD.

The Bishop of Columbia's Address—Closer Union of the Church in Canada.

Enlargement of Executive Committee—Hospital and Gaol Services—All the Business Disposed of.

The first session of the fifth synod of the diocese of Columbia was opened in Christ Church Cathedral yesterday morning, when Divine service was read. His Lordship the Bishop of Columbia was present, and the sermon was preached by Rev. J. A. Leakey, who took for his text Isaiah lxi, 1. After service the synod assembled in the schoolroom for the transaction of business. Those present being:

His Lordship the Bishop, presiding.

Clerical delegates — Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, Revs. A. G. Beanlands, D. Holmes, G. W. Taylor, J. A. Leakey, H. Kingham, M. C. Brown, W. D. Barber, Canon Paddon, E. G. Miller, J. W. Flinton and T. J. Christmas.

Lay delegates—Cathedral—Sir Joseph Trutch, Mr. Justice Crease; St. James—Col. Wolfenden; St. Saviour's—Messrs. J. S. Bailey and T. B. Norgate. St. Barnabas'—Messrs. S. Baynes Reed and Rout Harvey; Lake—Mr. H. E. Croasdaile; Cedar Hill—Mr. Lindley Crease; Comox—Mr. Justice Drake; Saanich—Mr. J. J. Downey.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, the Rt. Rev. George Hills, D.D., Lord Bishop of Columbia; chancellor and registrar, Mr. L. Crease; clerical secretary, Rev. G. W. Taylor; lay secretary, Mr. H. E. Croasdaile; treasurer and financial secretary, Sir Joseph Trutch; auditors, Messrs. Rout Harvey, W. C. Ward.

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His Lordship then delivered his charge as follows:

My reverend brethren of the clergy, and brethren of the laity.

STATE AND PROGRESS OF THE CHURCH.

In alluding to the state and progress of the Church during the past year, while there is very much to be thankful for, I must remark that I think there is cause for anxiety in respect of signs of spiritual growth. The number of communicants has but slightly increased, and that of confirmation candidates is very disproportioned to the number of baptisms. No doubt it takes several generations to reach a normal state in this respect, but I think there is a great deficiency in provision of opportunities, by classes, for the study of the Bible and devotion, and for continuous preparation of the young for the rite which admits them to the Holy Communion. To this subject I would earnestly call the attention of the clergy.

Since we met in October, 1889, three ordinations have been held, admitting the Rev. Frederic Lambert Stephenson to the priesthood and Mr. John William Flinton and Mr. Ernest George Miller to the Diaconate. In the same period two clergy have left the Diocese, viz: the Rev. F. L. Stephenson and the Rev. J. C. Brenton. The following seven have been added to our list: The Rev. W. F. L. Paddon, Rev. T. J. Christmas, Rev. M. C. Browne, Rev. G. W. Taylor, Rev. W. D. Barber, Rev. J. W. Flinton and Rev. E. G. Miller.

Five new missions have been formed, namely Salt Spring, now separated from Chemainus, being the electoral district of thirteen islands, excepting Kuper; St. Barnabas, Spring Ridge; St. Saviors, Victoria West; North and South Cedar, with South part of Nanaimo; and the Wellingtons and Northfield collieries. The Islands Missions of Salt Spring would, we had hoped, by this time have been provided for, but the clergyman who had engaged to come was prevented at the last moment. The other four new missions are all most important, and their occupation by us a necessity if the Church of England is to do her proper part in making provision for the spreading tide of immigration. Our neglect of the last has been a reproach. I have appealed to the S.P.G. for these and other neglected settlements and work in this diocese, but hitherto in vain; still, I have hope of help from churchmen in England towards the spiritual needs of their countrymen emigrating hither, who are unable, for some years at least, to contribute more than a small portion of the incomes of their ministers.

In this hope I have personally undertaken, with the concurrence of the Mission Board, the responsibility of making such provision as to secure for the four last named Missions the services of worthy and competent clergy.

The church at Salt Spring is finished with the exception of some interior fittings. That of St. Barnabas, Spring Ridge, is commenced, as is the church of St. Michael's and All Angels at Chemainus. Sites have been secured, and some subscriptions obtained or promised, for new churches at Comox Bay and Victoria West. Arrangements have been made for supplying the ministrations of the church to the inmates of the Jubilee Hospital who may require them.

THE MISSION AND ENDOWMENT FUNDS.

Much encouragement has been afforded by the assistance of the Clergy Endowment Fund. The arrears due to the clergy at our last meeting have been paid by it. We have been enabled to resume the work which had been dropped at Chemaninus for lack of funds. Some grants to the clergy have been increased in view of the expensiveness of this colony. Confidence has been given to the recipients by the prospect of more punctual payments of their stipends, and congregations, we trust, have been stimulated to do their part.

We must bear in mind that the Society for Promoting Christain Knowledge promises £500 further for the Endowment Fund whenever we can meet that grant by £2,000 raised on our part.

It is important also that the Mission Fund should be not only kept up but increased if possible. We shall agree to thank the ladies of the Cathedral of the "Women's Auxiliary" for their steady work in raising by their own hands, and their collecting branch, not only $400 as originally promised, but now $500 a year to the mission fund. This is most acceptable.

CANADA'S WOMEN'S AUXILIARY AND GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.

We have been much favored by the visits this year of earnest and intelligent lady workers in Christian missions and of charity. A deputation from the Canadian Women's Auxiliary for Domestic, Diocesan and Foreign Missions was the first of these. Mrs. Cummings and Miss Paterson afforded not only valuable information as to the extensive work of their society, but left a deep impression that it is our duty and privilege here to co-operate with them in raising and distributing help to both the Home and Foreign Missions of the Church of England in the Dominion. And we shall soon see our churchwomen here inaugurate such co-operation. The other visitor was the Hon. Mrs. Joyce, a lady widely known for her practical and unselfish benevolence. The object she carries out is the emigration of female servants. These are in the first place carefully selected and must all be of exceptionally good character. Each party are then sent over ocean and rail, attended by a trustworthy matron. They are commended to the watchful kindness of a committee of churchwomen in the town or district to which they go, and also to the spiritual care of the clergy. This is the plan of the Girls' Friendly Society which is a distinct Church of England Society. The British Female Emigration Society is of like nature, and both are operated with wonderful administrative ability by their kind and gifted president, the lady I have named. This labor of love on her part must be of great advantage to this province, and I heartily commend it to the clergy and laity and their families as a work we ought to take up, and to assist by co-operation and support.

A NEW CATHEDRAL.

I am sure you will not consider this occasion unsuitable for allusion to the proposal to erect a stone cathedral on the magnificent site close by where we are to-day, and which we hope will be an ornament and pride of the city of Victoria. The increase of population, the demand for additional accommodation, and the impossibility of sufficient enlargement of the present building, make plain and urgent the necessity for a new Cathedral. A Cathedral differs from an ordinary Parish Church in being the seat, as its name declares, of the Bishop, or Chief Pastor of the Diocese. Connected with it is usually a body of Clergy who not only perform the usual duties of a parish, but exercise their gifts and powers in more varied ways, and in wider fields than are required in the ordinary ministrations. Some will carefully maintain the daily round of prayer, visit the sick, give instruction to the young of the flock. Some will be selected for their learning and powers of dealing in the pulpil with difficult subjects, and questions of the day, aud for training candidates for the ministry. Others will go forth as missioners to assist the parochial ministry in stirring up spiritual life, or will engage in evangelistic work in places not yet occupied, or during the sickness or absence of the regular minister. Here, too, should be found the best examples in the diocese of the heart-lifting praise, beauty of worship, and most frequent communion. Here will meet the synods of church, and here will be the courts ecclesiastical. Within the precincts of a cathedral will be the cathedral library and depository of Christian literature, and where may be had instructions in church music, architecture, history and other subjects of deep interest and value to clergy and laity of of the diocese. Our present proposed undertaking, of course, comes far short of all this future development, but a due sense of the importance of the many objects connected with a cathedral will serve to stimulate zeal and encourage sacrifice in accomplishing as much as we are able to do upon a worthy and enlightened plan. Most earnestly I desire to commend this great work to every member of the Anglican church in this diocese.

A GENERAL SYNOD.

At our Diocesan Synod of October, 1889, in reference to a conference proposed to be held at Winnipeg the present year, it was resolved:

"That this Synod will welcome with satisfaction any well considered measures tending to promote closer communion of the dioceses of the Church of England in in the Dominion of Canada."

The conference, at which this diocese was not represented, took place at Winnipeg, Aug. 15, 1890. It resulted in the adoption of the constitution of a General Synod, to consist of all the Bishops of the Church of England in the Dominion of Canada and New Foundland, and of delegates from the clergy and laity elected by the provincial and independent Diocesan Synod, to be superior to the provincial and other synods, not to exact coercive canons or resolutions, but "to have power to deal with all matters affecting in any way the general interests and well being of the church within its jurisdiction." This same conference has decided that the General Synod shall be called by the Senior Metropolitan, to meet at Toronto on the second Wednesday in September, 1893. There must be some mistake in this, as it can hardly be supposed that the delegates to Winnipeg were authorized to settle the whole business of a very novel experiment in the normal administration of our Holy Church, without first referring the results of their consultation to every diocese in the Dominion of Canada, that we may say whether we shall adopt a new system, oradhere to the universally recognized and well tried organization of Diocesan and Provincial Synods, unfettered by any higher rule of synod or primate.

I observe the promoters of this movement appear to be under the impression that the Anglican Church of Canada is broken up into fragments, so much so that "unification," "corporate unity," "consolidation," is necessary. These expressions are surely misleading. The Church in Canada is quite as much united as the Church in the British Isles. We have full intercommunion, the same apostolic ministry, sacraments, creeds and book of common prayer. Our bishops and clergy can interchange pulpits, and our communicants and members be freely received from one part of the Dominion to the other. I will mention a few objections which appear to me to lie against the scheme for a general synod.

1. Even if such were practicable and desirable, we are not sufficiently numerous, strong or organised to attempt so radical an alteration. Our provincial system is not yet complete.

2. Inasmuch as the constitution and objects of the proposed higher Synod are the same as belong to the Provincial, by which all that is needed for the affairs of the church can be done, the creation of a General Synod is SUPERFLUOUS and UNNECESSARY.

3. Doubtless higher Synods than Provincial there were and are, such as patriarchal, national, ecumenical, but these have not ordinarily been resorted to except in some great emergency, and such a necessity does not in our case exist.

4. Our Mother Church of England has not found such a higher system necessary.

5. Not only would a General Synod as proposed be unnecessary, but it would tend to impair the influence of the Provincial by treating of the matters usually and sufficiently dealt with by the latter. Several speakers at the Winnipeg Conference admitted that either this injury to the Lower Synods would happen or

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that the influence of the General Synod would be nullified.

6. To have one General Synod for the whole Dominion would be inconvenient, on account of having to draw its members from distances of 2,000 and 3,000 miles. and of the great expense thus needlessly incurred, and the time taken in transacting or discussing business belonging to all sections of British America, whereas, under the provincial system, dioceses are grouped together as most convenient for their different localities.

7. A good deal has been said of a General Synod, enabling the church to speak with one voice on moral and religious questions, having greater power to influence governments and fostering the idea of unity; whereas governments in these days are not moved by ecclesiastical authority, but by public sentiment, which must be influenced not once in three or five years, but continually by sound teaching of the clergy and Christian example and conversation of faithful lay members of the church, creating not one voice, but many voices, everywhere in furtherance of the pure, the good, and he true.

8. An instance has been adduced favoring the proposed Synod of the General Convention of the Episcopal Church of the United States, attended by all the bishops and selected clergy and laiety every three years from all parts of the States, but the following resolution is a testimony that the system is inconvenient and needs amendment in the direction of Provincial organization.

NEW YORK, October 5, 1889. —General Convention—"The Bishop of Central New York offered the following resolution, which was adopted:" "Resolved, The House of Deputies concurring that a committee consisting of five members of this House, including the presiding bishop, with five clerical members and five lay members of the House of Deputies be appointed to consider and report to the convention of 1893: (1) whether a territorial division of the whole church in the United States and the territories is expedient; (2) by what changes in the constitution and canons of the church a system of provincial legislation and discipline could be established, and (3) on what general plan such a division might be effected."

Still, closer union may well be fostered by us, and may be accomplished by extending throughout the church of the whole Dominion institutions in which all may have a common interest, and also by joint committees from time to time upon subjects on which united and similar action may be desirable. It might be well for each diocesan and provincial synod to have a standing committee on mutual relations, with a view to a practical closer action of the Anglican communion in British America.

Upon the conclusion of His Lordship's address, the synod adjourned until 2.30 p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

On the resumption of business it was moved by Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, seconded by Rev. Canon Beanlands, that the following gentlemen be appointed representatives in conference for the formation of a Provincial Synod, and that they be also representatives for the diocese in such Provincial Synod, if formed: Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, Rev. A. Beanlands, Rev. J. B. Good, Rev. G. W. Taylor, Rev. W. D. Barber, Rev. J. A. Leakey and Hon. Justices Crease and Drake, Major Dupont, Mr. E. Baynes Reed, Sir Joseph Trutch and Mr. H. E. Croasdaile. The motion was carried.

It was moved by Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, that this Synod, while sympathizing with the desire to draw aogether in closer union the various branches of the Anglican church in B. N. A., is unable, at present, to concur in the scheme for the formation of a general Synod.

Rev. J. Good said that no doubt this Synod would like to hear more about the Winnipeg Conference.

Major Dupont asked how it happened that this diocese had taken no part in the Conference.

The Bishop said that representatives had been appointed, but they did not attend.

Judge Crease explained that domestic cares prevented his attendance. Rev. Mr. Bolton had been unable to be present, while Sir Joseph Trutch was absent in England.

Major Dupont hoped that the time would not be far distant when a way would be seen for a closer union of the church in Canada. If political confederation were desirable, the same rule should apply to ecclesiastical concerns.

The Bishop said the work of the conference had not yet been officially communicated to him.

Rev. Mr. Bolton, who had been present, said that the result had been to remove many misunderstandings, the desire being to have the project generally discussed, so that afterwards action could be intelligently taken. The feeling was in favor of a union.

Mr. Baynes Reed said that, so far as the Eastern dioceses were concerned, there was no idea of interfering with or coercing this Synod.

Rev. Mr. Goode—Was there not an idea at the conference to separate from England?

Rev. Mr. Browne—What has the church in Eastern Canada done for us? What can it do?

Major Dupont observed that, as far as he knew, this diocese had absolute control and jurisdiction over its own concerns.

The Bishop—We are pledged to act in accordance with the principles of the Church of England.

Major Dupont thought that it would be exceedingly desirable that some authority could interpose, such as a general Synod, so that there should be no lapse or change in the prayer book or character of the church. He thought the time had arrived when, instead of the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Metropolitan of Canada should be the highest Court of Appeal. This province was a part of Canada, and the sooner this was fully realized the better.

The Bishop considered this Synod to be entirely under control. As he had said he had received no official report of the Winnipeg meeting, but he had had a private communication from the Metropolitan, who had said that in his opinion it would be long before a union was entered into by the Diocese of Assiniboia.

The motion was carried.

Archdeacon Scriven moved, seconded by Mr. Creasdaic, that the Bishop be requested to nominate a committee to draught an address to the Archbishp of Canterbury, to ask that the grant of the S. P. G. to this Diocese be renewed. Carried.

On motion of Archdeacon Scriven, seconded by Rev. Mr. Good, it was after discussion resolved to increase the membership of the executive committee to eight clerical and eight lay members, the quorum remaining the sameas at present, three laymen and three clergymen.

Archdeacon Scriven presented a resolution expressing the thankfulness of the Synod for the opportunity which had been afforded it of serving the public hospital, and inviting the co-operation of members of the church in order to serve the inmates of the gaol.

The Bishop said that the church did not claim to serve the hospital as a right, but was glad of the opportunity of giving its ministrations to the inmates, and he was sure that all the resources would be forthcoming that were necessary for carrying on services among the poor creatures who frequented the prison.

Rev. Mr. Taylor said that for months the dissenters had been holding afternoon services, and it had been his custom to hold service there at 11 o'clock in the morning. Outsiders were always welcomed to the services. He hoped that when the Church of England took up the matter, as it was now proposed to do, the zeal of the dissenters would flag, as two services were more than the inmates could bear.

Rev. Mr. Taylor moved, in effect, that annual missionary meetings be held in every parish in the diocese during the autumn and winter months, to be addressed by delegations, at which collections should be taken up; and that parochial collections be also made, the proceeds to be remitted to the treasurer before April 25. He said that the trouble was that the subscriptions were given by the few rather than by the many, which necessitated heavier contributions by the former. It was intended to ask every churchman in the diocese to contribute.

Mr. Baynes Reed seconded the motion. Speeches were made by him and by Rev. Mr. Good, Mr. Croasdaile, and Ven. Archdeacon Scriven. It was stated that the individual contributions to missions averaged 25c, and out of the entire amount the Bishop gave $200.

The motion was adopted.

The Bishop appointed the following committee of advice on the Bishopric estate: Judge Drake, Major Dupont, Sir Joseph Trutch, Hon. P. O'Reilly, Mr. W. C. Ward and Mr. T. R. Smith.

It was resolved that inasmuch as the committee on parish boundaries had not reported, a new committee should be appointed by the Bishop, which should be a standing committee.

After further business, merely of a routine character, the report of the board of missions was adopted, of which the following is a summary:

That the Bishop Hill Clergy Endowment fund had reached $25,000, and had been of great service to the diocese, having enabled the board to pay its grants to the district clergy. Proposed additional operations, however, combined to make the board anxious to see the mission fund more heartily supported. The following grants had been made through the Mission Board for the ensuing year:

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N. and S. Cedar and Nanaimo	500†	
Wellington and Northfield	500†	
Spring Ridge	250†	
Victoria West	250†	

(*With $500 added.)

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The report of the Executive Committee was adopted.

The treasurer's report was described by the Bishop as being of a distressing character.

The standing committees were appointed as usual.

Thanks were passed to the retiring secretaries, to Rev. Mr. Leaky for his sermon, to the ladies who had supplied hop for presiding, after which the Synod the members with lunch, and to the Bis- adjourned.

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Oil Cake, per ton	57.50
Corn, whole	40.00 @ 42.50
" cracked	45.00
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Oatmeal " Saanich	3.75
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" small " "	4.00
" Bayo "	5.75
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Plums, per lb.	03
Celery, per doz.	50
Corn, green, per doz	35
Cauliflowers, each	10 @ 15
Eggs, Island, per dozen	50
" Imported, "	25
Butter, roll, Island, per lb	32½ @ 37½
" tub or firkin, creamery	27½ to 35
Cheese, Canadian per lb., retail	20@ 25
" California	20
Hams, American "	20
Bacon, American, per lb	16 to 20
" Rolled "	14½—16
Shoulders, per lb	12½—13½
Lard "	11½@15
Meats—Beef "	12½@18
Sides "	8@10
Mutton, per lb	12½@18
Lamb, forequatter	1.00@1.50
" hindquarter	1.50@1.75
Pork, fresh "	15
Veal, dressed, per lb	15
Venison	8@10
Tallow	5@6¼
Duck, per pair	1.00@1.25
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We are pleased to see that a rigid enquiry is being instituted in the horse poisoning case. The prosecution is conducted by lawyers of ability and high character, and it is to be hoped that the parties, if proved to be guilty, will be punished as they deserve. We would like to see all kinds of legitimate sport flourishing in Victoria, but it is very easy to bring it into disrepute. There are a number of characterless and unscrupulous men who make sport a business, who, if sport is to be kept up to the proper standard in this city, must be well watched and carefully avoided.

MODERN EDUCATION.

Mr. Frederic Harrison, who is one of the ablest men of the day, has not formed a very high opinion of the system of education that is followed in the schools and colleges of Great Britain. This is what he says in the current number of the Forum :—

"I have now an experience of some forty years as student, teacher and examiner; and it forces on me a profound conviction that our modern education is hardening into a narrow and debasing mill. Education is over-driven, over-systematized, monotonous, mechanical. * * * The round of endless examination reduces education to a professional cram, where the repetition of given formulas passes for knowledge, and where the accurate memory of some teacher's 'tips' takes the place of thought. Education ought to be the art of using the mind and of arranging knowledge; it is becoming the art of swallowing pellets of special information. The professor mashes up a kind of mental 'pemmican,' which he rams into the learner's gullet. When the pupil vomits up these pellets it is called 'passing the examination with honors.'"

Although this is undeniably true, it is surprising how slow the professional educationists are to find it out. They keep in the old worn-out rut, and go on spoiling the minds and the lives of those whom they are paid to improve and instruct, completely ignoring what such men as Herbert Spencer, Frederic Harrison, Professor Huxley and scores of others have said about their methods and their mistakes. From what we have seen and heard, we have come to the conclusion that the hardest men in the world to teach are those men who make a business of teaching. It is the next thing to impossible to convince them that they are wrong in any single particular, and improvements have to be forced on them before their adoption can be secured. They have not yet, as a class, learned that to train the mind is not to cram the student's memory with a lot of stuff, miscalled knowledge, which he does not need and which cannot be of the slightest use to him in the work which the world has for him to do. If an instructor in athletics attempted to train a rower or a runner in the way that a professor attempts to train the mind of a pupil, he would be regarded as a fit candidate for a lunatic asylum.

PARTY NAMES.

It appears to us that the time has arrived in this Dominion when public men and public journals should discuss public questions, without reference to party distinctions or party nicknames. When there are serious matters to consider why should sensible men, or men who ought to be sensible, distract the attention of their hearers or readers by using words that arouse prejudices and antipathies which were never very reasonable and which should now be laid aside. The issues which made party names, in Canada at any rate, significant are dead and almost forgotten, and why retain the name and make a bad use of it when the thing it signified is past and gone? For instance, what have the old names, Grit and Tory to do with the question now uppermost in the public mind which is the advisability of agitating for reciprocity with the United States, immediately after Congress has refused to entertain the question of reciprocity? Why try and prevent men from coming to a common sense conclusion on this important subject by calling out in unpleasant and reproachful tones "Tory" or "Grit?" These old names call up associations and raise feelings which are not conducive to a calm consideration of this or any question on its merits. And it is on their merits that all questions should be considered by intelligent Canadians. If Sir John Macdonald takes, as we believe he does, the proper ground on this question, his being a "Tory" does not make his arguments either stronger or weaker, or the facts he adduces either more or less to the point. In the same way Mr. Laurier, being a Grit, does not make the stand he has taken more or less reasonable, or the course which he advises the people to pursue either consistent or inconsistent with the national dignity or self-respect. Using the party names when discussing what the leaders say on the subject has the effect of preventing very considerable numbers from ever attempting to exercising their judgment on what they hear and read. Do the speakers and writers intend that the party cries and designations shall have this effect? Do they reason merely for form's sake when they depend almost wholly on party prejudice to keep those whom they address on their side? One is tempted to think so.

We believe the appeal to party spirit is, in these days, unwise. Many men are beginning to see exactly what it means, and they are asserting their right to think for themselves in spite of old associations and party predilections. We observe that the people want to be reasoned with. They want to hear what both sides have to say on the subject, and the speaker or writer who pays them the compliment of treating them as rational beings, endowed with the power of thinking, is treated with respect. For our part we are glad of this. We want to see our countrymen taking the side which their reason convinces them is right. A man who appears before the people is not always now asked, "What side do you belong to?" But generally the question is, "What have you got to say for yourself?" This is why we think that those whose business or whose duty it is either to instruct or to advise the people should make as few references to party as possible, and should appeal to the reason and the common sense of those whom they address.

EFFICACIOUS.

A comparison between the mortality of France and that of England, according to the London Times, proves the efficacy of enlightened sanitary regulations. Although the birth rate in France is only 23 in the 1,000 inhabitants and that of England 31 in the 1,000, the death rate of France is 22·3 per thousand, while that of England is under 19. This was not for a month or a year or any period in which the death rate might be increased by some unusual cause, but for five years, from the beginning of 1884 to the end of 1888. What makes the difference between the mortality of the two countries more remarkable is that there are fewer children in proportion to the population in France than in England. As every one knows, the greatest mortality is infant mortality. For every seven children born in France there are nine born in England, but for every seven deaths that take place in France only six take place in England.

It is said that sanitary law is much better observed in England than in France. In some of the French towns the mortality is very high indeed, being in one as high as 53 in the 1,000, while the highest death rate in any English town does not reach 32. In the French towns where the death rate is so frightfully high the drainage is bad and the water supply contaminated. The connection between the cause and the effect is so plain in every case as to be easily discerned by all but those who are densely ignorant and stupid or wilfully blind.

The Times, in speaking of the effect of sanitary improvement in diminishing the death rate, says: The results have been so striking and are displayed in figures so carefully prepared, that no one can any longer dispute the essentially profitable character of the work that has been accomplished; and hence many of us are beginning to think that other nations must be without excuse if they any longer fail to follow our example. It is well to experience self-satisfaction, but it is far better to be able to point to the solid ground on which it rests."

The health of London is remarkable. In that immense city it might be supposed it would be impossible to compel the general observance of sanitary regulations. The intelligent inquirer might be easily excused if he came to the conclusion that the life of both infant and adult would be worth less in London than in small towns where there is more space and where the authorities, it might be expected, would be better able to enforce the laws enacted to preserve the public health. But the contrary is the case. The mortality of London is considerably less than that of many small towns. The death rate in London for the five years mentioned above was 19, while that of Paris was 23.5, in Manchester 26.1, and in Brest 32. Commenting on the low comparative death rate of London, the Times says:

"Whatever may be the explanation of the exceptional absence of mortality, it is at least sure that the healthfulness of the metropolis, as a place of residence, whether for children or for adults, has been for many years steadily increasing; and also that it has been increasing in proportion to the care with which sanitary improvements have been carried into effect. This truth has, indeed, now sunk so deeply into the public mind that almost all classes but the very lowest are ready to complain of any ordinary causes of illness which may exist around them; and public authorities, almost without exception, appear to have attained to a sound, practical recognition of the duties which the progress of knowledge has imposed upon them. Coupled with these conditions an immense amelioration of the lives of multitudes of Londoners has been effected by the weekly half-holiday, by the universal facilities of access to the country or to the suburbs, by the multiplication of open spaces, by the provision of plots of ground devoted to cricket and other games, and, in contrast to what we have said about too many of the French, by the excellent food which our working classes are accustomed plentifully to partake, and which a long period of fair industrial prosperity, coupled with skilful organizations, has rendered always available for their use. Few things are more pleasant from this point of view than to walk through some of those quarters of London which are mainly inhabited by artisans and other wage-earners, and to observe the quantity and quality of the food contained in the shops, which exist only by ministering to their wants."

This is strong and very valuable testimony to the efficacy of the observance of sanitary law. Cleanliness, pure air, and pure water, with plenty of wholesome food, are the conditions necessary for the preservation of the public health. The first three of these it is the business of the civic authorities to provide for the citizens, the last they will take pretty good care to provide for themselves if it is at all possible.

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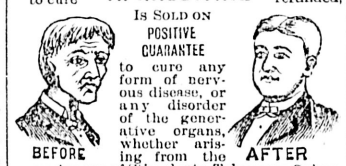

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The young ladies of the Reformed Episcopal church will give a conversazione in the schoolroom on Monday evening next. *

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The best fifty cent kid glove and the best fifty cent cashmere hose at Russell, McDonald & Co., 134 Douglas street. *

Just Completed.

Messrs. Heathorn & MacIntosh have just completed their new wharf at Rock bay and are now able to supply the "dear people" with any quantity of coal and wood on short notice. Full weight and measure guaranteed. Office, No. 90½ Government street. Telephone No. 470.

Mission, B. C.

The owners of the townsite of this new claimant for favor announce that they will spend $50,000 in public improvements and buildings in the near future, giving employment to all settlers and furnishing a trade for merchants. The Mission lots are reported to be going off quickly.

North Pacific Industrial Exposition.

The N.P.R.R., in connection with the steamer City of Kingston, is now making a special round trip rate of $12.50—Victoria to Portland and return—for the exposition. Tickets on sale at 82 Government street, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday of each week, good seven days from date of sale. *3t.

"Lights and Shadows."

"Lights and Shadows" a melodrama of considerable merit in which the Grismer-Davies Company made a decided hit, was presented last evening at "The Victoria." The Grismer's of course filled the leading roles well, Mr. Cooper distinguished himself in the character of the old man comedian, and Miss O'Connor also added to her popularity. The company leave at once for the East, via the Sound, being billed at Seattle for a short engagement.

The Farmers' Delegates.

This evening the British Tenant Farmers' delegates, at present touring through Canada in the interest of intelligent emigration from the United Kingdom, will arrive by the steamer Islander, and be met and welcomed by Mayor Grant. They will spend to-morrow here, calling upon the Lieut.-Governor and conferring with the Government, Board of Trade and civic authorities in regard to the attractions offered to immigrants by Victoria and the country generally. They will leave on their return trip East on Saturday morning's boat.

Why Is This Thus?

Importers of produce from the United States are expressing particular dissatisfaction with the special sections of the tariff referring to peanuts and sweet potatoes. The latter, they claim, is only a particular variety of the ordinary potatoes upon which the duty is 15 cents per bushel, and has no distinctive features to entitle it to a special rate of 20 per cent. Peanuts, it is asserted, are vegetables pure and simple, coming under the 25 per cent. rate. They are now charged duty at the rate of three cents per pound.

Young Victoria.

Since the re-opening of term the Corrig boys have been "en evidence" in and around Victoria. The school harrier club met for their first run, which extended to Cadboro, Oak and Shoal bays. It is needless to add that this being the first visit of their new headmaster (Mr. Church, M.A.), the boys had considerable difficulty in getting anything like a pace out of him, since he was so delighted with the scenery that he fixed on three separate sites for the new school right off. J. Pemberton, H. Abbott, R. and G. Wilson, F. Green and T. Emerson distinguished themselves by their fleetness of foot.

Information Wanted.

Postmaster Shakespeare has recently received a communication from William Roberts, Holly Mountain, N.S., enquiring for information as to the whereabouts of his son, James W., who left home several years ago. In 1886 he was reported to have come to Victoria, with the intention of going into mining. He was 24 years of age, with light hair and complexion and blue eyes. Information is also requested of Bramwell Abrahams, late of Sarnia, Ont.: he was a partial cripple, and has not been heard of for 15 years. Mrs. Clara Griffin, of Tisdale, Kansas, writes for some news of her son Arthur, who left Winfield, Kansas, three years ago.

A Kane Street Trap.

The Street committee ought to send some one to inspect the sidewalk on the South side of Kane street. It is rough and uneven, and in more than one place positively dangerous. A gentleman walking along it last evening got his foot caught in part of it that looks like a trap to catch the unfortunate pedestrian, and gave it an ugly wrench. Ladies are constantly complaining about it. Some person one of these dark nights will receive serious injury while walking along this neglected sidewalk, and will bring an action against the city for damages and gain his suit. In the interest of the corporation, therefore, as well as for the comfort of the citizens, this piece of sidewalk should be put in good repair.

Y.M.C.A. Notes.

Five educational classes have been started, one each in bookkeeping, shorthand, arithmetic, penmanship and drawing. There is a good attendance.

Mr. H. E Burns, of the International committee, will be in the city on Saturday. He will lunch with the board of directors, and in the evening meet the committeemen.

The financial canvass is progressing well. One subscription of $200 and one of $100 have been received. Altogether, about $1,000 has been secured thus far.

As the evenings grow longer and the weather becomes cold the rooms present a very busy appearance. Everything points to a good work this winter.

The second "At Home" will take place next Wednesday, Oct. 22. There will be a musical and literary programme. All young men will be welcome.

Died in Deadwood.

The telegraph brought sad news to Mr. H. C. Macaulay, manager of the Victoria Coal and Lumber Co., yesterday, as it announced to him the death of his brother George at Deadwood, S.D., on Sunday last. The deceased was in full health and vigor when last heard from, and was preparing to return to this city. No particulars of the manner of his death were contained in the message received, which came from a friend named S. M. Russell, and stated only that "George died Sunday and was buried today." The fact that the young man was at the time of his death employed upon a timber survey, and in splendid physical condition, suggests the possibility that his death may have been due to some accident. Particulars will, no doubt, come by mail, and will be anxiously awaited by the family and many friends here. The deceased was a clever and industrious young man, with the best of prospects in the commercial and social world he was just entering.

New Wellington Coal.

In ordering your winter's supply be sure to leave your order at No. 90½ Government street. Telephone No. 470.

Rock bay Coal and Wood Yard. *

Diocesan Missionary Meeting.

Last night a missionary meeting, in connection with the Synod of Columbia, was held under the presidency of Bishop Hills, interesting addresses being delivered by several clergymen and others.

Westminster District Elections.

Captain Peele, the returning officer in the coming election in Westminster district, has placed the dates for the nominations on the 23rd inst., and the date for the election on November 6.

"In Darkest Africa."

The first edition of this, Stanley's latest and best, work, reached the agents, J. R. Kerr & Co., 45 Government street, yesterday, and the sale is now open. The work is in two volumes, in the handsome styles of binding, ranging from $9 upwards. Both books are profusely illustrated, well printed on heavy paper, and full of interest from cover to cover. It

Bogus Bills.

It is announced that a number of counterfeits upon the $100 and $50 notes issued by the Bank of British Columbia are at present in circulation. Particulars of the most noticeable defects are not yet announced, but will be shortly. The bank now requires depositors handing in bills of either denomination mentioned to endorse them, so that it may be known from whom they are received.

To Build the Mill.

Thomas Wallace of Chicago, who claims the title of "King of Oatmeal Mill Builders" is in the city to erect the contemplated works of Brackman & Ker near the outer wharf. Mr. Wallace promises that work will be commenced at once, and the greater part of the machinery will be built here by the Albion Iron Works Company. Mr. Wallace was the builder of the celebrated mills at Tilsonburg, Ont., and is paid by The Trust not to engage in mill building in the United States.

Not Sir William Gossett.

The information a few days ago that Sir Wm. Gossett had accidentally shot himself at Johnson's Landing, set everybody enquiring who Sir William was. It now transpires that the man who met his death was a half-breed named William Gossett, aged about 22. He was a young man of good character, and has been employed on various of the river steamers and in other capacities. His father owns a ranch down the river and is familiarly known in this city. On Monday Captain Pittendrigh and Mr. Moresby went up to Johnson's Landing and conducted an inquest into the circumstances attending the young man's death. The evidence, although no one appears actually to have witnessed the accident, appears to be conclusive that deceased accidentally shot himself while drawing his rifle by the muzzle out of a canoe.

NOT SO BAD AS PAINTED.

Mrs. Tate's Description of British Columbia Indians Contradicted.

THE COLONIST yesterday morning published a highly sensational story of the manners and customs of the Indians of British Columbia, told to the people of the Eastern provinces by Mrs. C. M. Tate, wife of Rev. Mr. Tate, formerly of Chilliwhach. The account described the natives of the province as living in the vilest barbarism, and was calculated to create surprise, especially here, where the facts of the case are well known.

The full text of the telegram containing Mrs. Tate's charges against the aborigines of the Canadia Pacific coast was yesterday submitted by a COLONIST reporter to a gentleman resident in the province for the past thirty years, and during the entire period thrown in close contact with the Indian population. He was asked how much of the story was true and how much was not, and his reply is substantially as follows: "The reporter must have misunderstood Mrs. Tate, and made her say traditions of the past were recent occurrences. I never heard of any cannibalism at any time, cannibalism, as I understand it, being the killing of people for the sake of eating them. The nearest approach to it was a practice at the medicine feasts, more than thirty years ago, and never since, of killing a slave or exhuming a corpse and using the body in the savage religious ceremony. An arm or some other member would be torn out, and the pretence made of eating it, though in reality it was never devoured. This practice prevailed among all the tribes of the Coast, from Cape Mudge up to the Alaskan boundary. I could safely take my oath that Mrs. Tate did not, as she has stated, see the orgies she has described. They were simply legends given a modern date. The devil's dance or dog feasts may be indulged in occasionally in some of the remote inlets of the North, where no white man is seen, during the winter. They are not, however, common events. I never have heard of any deformed or puny children being destroyed after their birth, it certainly is a most unusual thing if it ever occurs. Abortions are often procured, it is true, but so they are in every country claiming to be highly civilized. I have never heard of any of the old women being beaten to death with the devil's club, and I don't think its quite within the range of possibility. General Lyman Banks, in a Seattle paper quite recently, told a story somewhat similar to Mrs. Tate's. He said that he had seen exhumed corpses devoured at a medicine feast on the northern end of Vancouver Island, within the past four months. An inquiry into the matter was made by the Indian department, and the story was denied by General Banks' companions. He afterwards admitted that he had simply dressed up a legend of the Indians in describing an ordinary feast that he had witnessed. What seems strangest to me, is that in all the 25 years that Mr. and Mrs. Tate have been in the province they have never told any of their wonderful discoveries to the Indian department, reserving them for the astonishment of Eastern audiences."

Programme.

PART I.

Ladies, you are respectfully invited to call and inspect the fall and winter novelties at the Lansdowne House, Yates St. John Partridge, prop.

Fine Art Gallery.

Call at No. 50 Government street, an immense stock of latest styles of mouldings, engravings, etc., etc.

aug30-4m JOS. SOMMERS.

Gaskell's Compendium of Forms at Daley's.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Business Transacted at the Weekly Meeting—The Electric Tramway Dispute.

An Acre of the Cemetery Set Aside for the Use of Odd Fellows.

The ordinary meeting of the Council was held last night, His Worship, the Mayor, presiding. There were present Alds. McKillican, Vigelius, Holland, Robertson, Harrison, Goodacre, and Wilson.

After the reading of minutes and their adoption, the city clerk read the following

COMMUNICATIONS:

Order from the Supreme Court re. assessment of W. J. Macdonald's farm. Referred to the city barristers.

From G.W.R. Lee & Co.—objecting to the payment by them of a business license of $100, they being merely the agents of Morse & Co., Vancouver. Referred to Collector and Finance committee.

From Joseph Sears—asking for the deepening of the drain on Yates street. Referred to Street committee.

From Thomas Bamford—thanking the Council for the use of the Corporation rooms for the Art Association exhibition. Filed.

From D. W. Higgins—submitting statement of rock and material laid on Superior street by the Tramway company, and denying emphatically that the corporation's gravel had been taken by the company for ballasting its track. Moreover, they had been prevented by Ald. Harrison from ballasting as they had intended to do.

Ald. Harrison said that what the company had put on the road was large rocks not fit for the purpose. If the company were prepared to go into court it was easy to substantiate the position of the corporation. He was prepared to prove himself that the company had taken the corporation's gravel, and had placed it under their track. This had either to be returned to the city or the case must go into court.

Ald. Holland said that the Street committee had discovered that little or no gravel had been placed by the company on the street, whereas there should have been four inches. It would be well for the Street committee to look into the matter, and that an investigation be held by them and a report made to council.

Ald. Robertson said it was certain that the tramway company had had some gravel to put on the road. It was true that there was some of it big stone, and it was always well to have big stones at the bottom. The company had, however, not been allowed to put on the gravel which they had ready for the purpose. There had been no case taken into court in which the corporation was interested that it had not lost. He, therefore, deprecated taking the matter into court.

Ald. Harrison repeated that the gravel had been taken by the company from off the road and placed in the middle of their track Moreover, that highly favored concern had been allowed to put in stone far larger than what had been provided for by the city regulations.

Ald. Holland said that a committee of investigation had been appointed to look into this matter, some time ago, at which the company had been unable to be present. He therefore thought that that committee of inquiry should meet, and probably in that way trouble might be avoided.

Ald. Robertson asked if Ald. Harrison would swear that the contractor had put four inches of gravel on the corporation part of the street.

After discussion, the matter was left to the Street committee to investigate, in connection with several of the directors of the company.

A communication from the Sewerage Commissioners, asking that $1,000 be placed to their credit, was read and ordered to be complied with.

From Thomas S. Styles—asking for the use of a portion of Pandora street for building purposes. Granted.

From H. Humber, sr.—asking for the use of a portion of Yates street for building purposes. Granted.

From John Teague, sr.—asking for street line on Pembroke street. Granted.

From Alexander Cameron—asking for a correct grade on Bridge street. Granted.

From Drake, Jackson & Helmcken—drawing attention to the state of the drainage near the property of Mr. Bossi on Store street. Referred to Street committee.

From Thomas Bamford, of the B. C. Art Association—asking if the Corporation would take over the electric lighting material which had been placed by them in the upper part of the City Hall. Referred to City Hall committee to report to Council.

From George Amoosen—calling attention to a petition of property owners on Stanley Avenue, asking for drainage, to which no reply had since been received. Referred to Street committee.

From Sister Mary Providence in reference to price of land for sewerage purposes.

The Mayor said the Sewerage commissioners had no right to say where the sewers should be laid. He thought the corporation had the sole power to determine this and to let the contracts, after which the business of the commissioners was to see that the work was properly done.

Ald. Robertson [illegible] the engineer and nobody else was the [illegible] to determine where sewers should be laid.

The letter was referred to the Sewerage committee and the engineer.

From Joseph Gosnell, asking for water outside the city limits. Referred to Water committee and Water commissioners.

From E. M. Johnson, secretary of the Canada Western Hotel Co., saying that the contractor was solely responsible for everything in connection with the work on the new Canada Western hotel.

Alderman Wilson said the corporation did not hold Mr. Haggerty responsible. They had nothing to do with him, and, be sides, he was very handy to get at. He moved that the city clerk inform the Canada Western Hotel Co. to this effect, and insist that they put up the fence required, they holding the company responsible for any accidents or damages that might arise. Carried.

From G. A. McTavish—stating that he would allow the main sewer to be laid through his premises without cost. Referred to Sewerage committee.

From Eberts & Taylor—saying that the corporation had not the power to give title to the Odd Fellows for any portion of the Ross Bay cemetery.

Ald. McKillican said that the different religious denominations had their allotments of land, and the Odd Fellows had just as much right as they had.

Ald. Vigelius said that the different congregations did not hold property except by a mere understanding that such property was set aside for the burial of their members.

On motion it was resolved that the city clerk write to the Odd Fellows to say that the Council could not sell them property out and out and give a deed for it, but would set aside an acre of land for their use at the same terms as was the case with other denominations.

From Eberts & Taylor in the case of Madigan vs. the Corporation, for damages arising from the alleged injury of property by the prosecution of street improvements.

Ald Vigelius said that if Mr. Madigan had been reasonable and had accepted the $100 offered, the matter would have been settled long ago. The property owner next door would accept $40.

REPORTS.

The Park committee reported having christened various avenues and sections of the Public Park with the following names: Helmcken avenue, Grant avenue, Heywood avenue, Park road, Grand View, Walnut avenue, Fairy glen, Groves of Arcadia, The Rialto (the stone bridge) Boulevarde Marino and Elysian fields. Report adopted.

Ald. Harrison gave notice of a by-law providing for the extension of the city limits.

The by-law to appoint Mr. E. Mohun, sewerage engineer, and Mr. Wilmot assistant, passed its first reading.

The Street committee reported that they had compromised with S. J. Booth for $40, and advised the laying of four-foot sidewalks on John and St. Louis streets. Adopted.

The Police committee reported that new coats were required for the police. Adopted.

Council adjourned.

A FATAL SHOT

Terminates the Life of a Victoria Indian Known as "Jim."

Just as the clocks were striking noon, yesterday, a gun shot startled the inhabitants of the Indian reserve, and it was found that the life of a well-known Indian known as Jim had been brought to an end. The shooting was under somewhat peculiar circumstances, and an inquest will be held on the body of the dead Indian at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

Scarcely 5 minutes before his death, Jim had been conversing and joking with Dominion Officer Lewis at the door of the friend's cabin in which he died. He had just returned from a shooting expedition and was in excellent spirits. Bidding Mr. Lewis good-bye, he entered the cabin, shutting and fastening the door, and almost immediately the shot was heard, and the officer, bursting in the door, found the Indian dying. Within a minute he breathed his last, the smoking gun—an old Hudson Bay musket—still grasped by the end of the barrel.

The charge had entered the abdomen, causing death almost immediately. There was no one else in the cabin at the time of the accident or suicide, and particulars of how it occurred are therefore only mere guesses. Officer Lewis says that he heard Jim talking to himself in the Indian language after he entered the hut, but could not distinguish what he said. He could easily have shot himself by pressing the trigger of the gun with his foot, but suicide was hardly likely. The deceased was a sober, industrious Siwash, and was for some time employed by the Hudson Bay Co. on their upland farm.

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AMUSEMENTS.

Esquimalt : Church : Bazaar

In aid of Rectory Fund, will be held at the
BLUE RIBBON HALL,
SATURDAY, Oct. 18th,
FROM 2 to 9 P. M.

A sale of fancy work, Oriental curios and cloths, fretwork, &c.

By kind permission the band H. M. S. Warspite will perform in the afternoon, and a minstrel performance will be given in the evening at 7 P. M.

Free pass on the Tramway, and entrance to Bazaar 25 cents. oct14

—THE—

Ladies' Aid Society

Of the Presbyterian Church, Victoria West, will hold their first sale of Useful and Fancy Articles on

Tuesday, the 21st of October,

In the New Hall, Craigflower Road.

Doors open at 1 p. m. Admission 10 cents. Tea will be served from 5 to 8 p. m. for 25 cts.

THE FIRST DIRECT.

GRAND EXCURSION

To Port Angeles, Wash.

has been organized for some day next week. For further particulars apply at Room 3, Belmont Block, Yates street. oct15-1w

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DANCING :: CLASS

For young people, SATURDAY afternoon, Oct. 4th, at 2:30 p. m., at Harmony Hall, View Street.

A Class will be formed during the week for little children. Parties wishing to join an Evening Class will apply at Mrs. Dickinson's residence, Moss Street, or Harmony Hall, Saturdays, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. se24-1m

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LOST OR FOUND.

LIBERAL REWARD.

LOST—between Victoria and Esquimalt a red leather purse containing bank bills on the Columbia Bank of Schome, Washington; also promissory notes and a ticket between Victoria and Port Townsend. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving the same at this office or Frank Campbell's. oct14

LOST.

Between Saturday and Sunday last, at or near Duncan's Station the following cheques: No. 124, drawn by the Dominion Department of Public Works, in favor of Gabriel for $69. No. 222, drawn by B. Gordon, in favor of D. Alexander for $93.25. No.——drawn by W. P. Jaynes, in favor of R. Wicks, for $50. No.——drawn by A. C. Fraser, in favor of James Kier for $137.

All parties are cautioned against negotiating the above cheques.

A reward for their recovery will be paid by

J. MACDONALD & CO.,
oct14-1w-d&w Duncan's.

LOST.

A WATER SPANIEL in Beacon Hill Park, answers to name of Rover. A reward of five dollars is offered for his return to Mrs. Evans, Colonist hotel. oct12 1w

LOST.

AN IRISH SETTER, about 3rd October. Any one returning same to this office will be rewarded. oct12-6t

STRANGERS

Settling in Victoria should remember that

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YESTERDAY'S DISPATCHES.

Young Crocker's Injuries.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—The condition of Col. Crocker's little son was not so favorable to-day. Symptoms of fever became manifest early this morning, and there were indications of slight inflammation of the brain.

The City of Chester Collision.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—The Oceanic Steamship company has filed an answer to all complaints in the suits brought to recover damages sustained by the relatives of the people who were drowned by the collision between the Oceanic and City of Chester. Defendants deny that the accident was the result of any carelessness on the part of the agents of the corporation.

News of the Missing Ship Tacoma.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—The ship Tacoma, long ago given up for lost, has at last been heard from, after the insurance companies had been offering 95 per cent. premium on the vessel and cargo. The British ship Inch Keith, Capt. Grainger, which arrived this morning, 151 days from Hamburg, spoke the Tacoma twice on her trip from Hamburg. The first time on September 27, in 24 N., 129 W., and again on October 8, in 37° 58 N., 136° 17 W., about 700 miles distant from San Francisco. The Tacoma is commanded by Capt. Sheldon and left New York for San Francisco on March 4 last. She was last heard from on April 21. The Inch Keith herself had rather a long passage, being delayed by head winds, and off Cape Horn a succession of gales was encountered for thirteen days.

A Vindictive Schoolboy.

OAKLAND, Cal., Oct. 14.—Two attempts have recently been made to burn the Swett schoolhouse at West Oakland. The last attempt was made several days ago. The school department kept the matter secret and have been making investigations. To-day an orphan boy 11 years of age who has been attending school confessed to two attempts to set fire to the building. On the day of the last attempt the boy had been kept after school ten minutes and as he passed out he threw a lighted match into some shavings in the shed and then told the fire company that the schoohouse was on fire.

Where is Mr. Barnes?

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—Local baseball people have been awaiting the arrival of Mr. Barnes, the manager of the Spokane Falls baseball club, but he fails to materialize. Last week he wrote to Manager Harris saying that he would be in San Francisco on the 10th to make some arrangements for the season of 1890, and, if possible, prepare a championship series between the Northern champions and the winners of the California league pennant. Barnes has probably made a change in his programme.

Burned to Death.

SACRAMENTO, Oct. 14. — Fire early this morning destroyed the telegraph house and L. Hayes' tinshop adjoining. John Collins, a blacksmith, was burned to death. The loss is $3,500, insurance $2,000.

Shipping.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—Arrived, Str. Umatilla, Victoria. Cleared, steamers Oregon, Portland; Montserrat, Nanaimo.

British Torpedo Boat Picked Up at Sea.

HALIFAX, Oct. 13.—A dispatch was received to-day that the British torpedo boat No. 62, one of the first-class boats at this station, had been picked up at sea abandoned, by an American Gloucester fishing schooner. No mention was made of its crew of twenty men. They may have been taken off by a passing ship, but as the American reports the boat in good condition, a report is current here that the men abandoned her intentionally. A man-of-war has gone to investigate.

LATER.—It is learned that the boat was in tow of H.M.S. Pelican, which was obliged to cut her adrift after taking off her crew, because of the frightful storm.

The Count's Visit to Montreal.

MONTREAL, Que., Oct. 13.—A meeting of French citizens was held in the mayor's office to-day, for the purpose of arranging a reception and banquet to the Comte de Paris on his arrival. Legitimists were there in force, but the Republicans protested against the city's taking any official notice of the visit of the Count, and threatened to get up a counter Republican demonstration and banquet if it did. Finally a committee, comprising the mayor, aldermen, chief justice, judges and others were appointed to meet the Count at the depot, escort him to his hotel and tender him a banquet and reception. The republicans moved an amendment that was lost.

Chateau Sacked and Burned.

PARIS, Oct. 14.—Count de La Grange's chateau, near Domfrent, has been sacked and burned and the entire building destroyed. There were many valuable works of art in the chateau, all of which are lost. The police are seeking the culprits.

The Late Justice Miller.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 14.—When the U. S. supreme court met to-day, the Chief Justice announced the death of Associate Justice Miller. The court immediately adjourned to Monday. Arrangements for the funeral of the late Justice Miller will not be completed until the arrival of his daughter, Mrs. Touzalin, this afternoon. Among the telegrams received to-day was the following from ex-President Cleveland: "Accept my sincere sympathy and condolence in this sorrowful hour. May you receive consolation and pity from God's unfailing store, and may you find a relief in the remembrance of your husband's noble devotion to duty and his priceless services to his country."

Storm in West Virginia.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 14.—The storm in West Virginia on Monday night did great damage to the crops, buildings and railroads, particularly along the Monoghela river and its tributaries. Near Clarksburg a cloud burst, drenched the country, and the small streams became rushing torrents immediately. The traffic on the Baltimore and Ohio between Pittsburg and Wheeling is closed this morning. Communication with the upper Monoghela has been entirely suspended. Only one life has been lost by the storm so far.

A Heavy Storm.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 14.—The worst storm of the season was reported from up the lake this morning. At Oscoda many vessels which have taken refuge in the harbor are dragging their anchors and are in imminent danger of going ashore. At Port Arthur the wind is blowing forty miles an hour, and a considerable portion of the new breakwater is gone. The men working on the breakwater were rescued this morning with difficulty. At Alpena, a barge was blown ashore and went to pieces. A schooner went ashore in White Fish bay. An immense fleet has taken shelter in Pigeon Lake bay.

Help Came Too Late.

LOUISVILLE, Oct. 14.—Several days ago, while in a fit of despondency, Robt. A. Cole, a painter, attempted suicide by cutting his throat. This afternoon he breathed his last, and an hour after his wife received from her brother, Elbert Cole, of New York, a telegram notifying her that a division of a relative's estate in the old country had just been concluded and her share would be $20,000. She was urged by her brother to come to New York at once as her signature was all that was necessary to secure her share, the brother having already secured his portion. The poor woman, who was completely prostrated by the death of her husband, paid little or no attention to what would, under ordinary circumstances, have been glorious news, declaring that help had come too late. Her brother was wired, however, that she would go to New York as soon as her condition would permit.

In a Serious Plight.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—Alfred M. Baker, broker, of No. 1 New street, was arrested to-day on complaint of S. V. White, who charged him with circulating a report detrimental to his financial standing. The arrest was caused on affidavit made by Herman Dezlding, of the firm of Worton & Co., who says that on the 8th inst., P. Parker came into their office and, after making some inquiries about the Delaware & Lackawanna, said that the stock would soon sell at 120, and that Stephen V. White would break within sixty days. The rumor became current, and for a time greatly affected the market value of Lackawanna stock. The prisoner was arraigned in police court this afternoon and bail in the case was fixed at $2,500. The examination in the case will be held to-morrow. The penalty of Parker's offence is three months imprisonment or a fine of $5,000.

AN OUTSIDE OPINION.

What Mr. D. Chisholm, of Port Hope, Thinks of British Columbia.

Mr. D. Chisholm, of Port Hope, Ont., in the course of a long interview with the Times of that busy town, has the following to say of this city and province, which he recently visited:—

"What do I think of the province? Well, that question involves a long answer. The weather whilst I was there was simply delightful, and the scenery between sea, river and mountain, grand. The climate is the British Columbians' strong point. They claim to have the finest and most equable climate in the world. The business of the province seems made up of special interests, and these in few and strong hands. For instance, the coal is in the hands of the Dunsmuirs, and is selling at $8 a ton in Victoria. The great lumber industries are in the hands of firms or companies. Salmon and mining industries are handled by rich people or corporations. The great want of British Columbia is a farming class. They have some of the richest farming lands in the world, yet they send to California and Manitoba for their butter and eggs, and the prices of these articles and others, the produce of the farm, are fabulous. Eggs, sometimes, I was told, go up to $1 a dozen, and at Christmas time a good turkey will bring $4."

In reply to the question "What do you think of Victoria?" Mr. Chisholm said: "Victoria is an old, rich and solid city. It is generally represented as a slow, sleepy place, but it did not so appear to me. The streets had all the bustle of any Canadian city. The harbors were quite busy with shipping. Large saw mills are in operation here. This is the headquarters of the seal fishery. Many of the craft were lying in the harbor and owned by Victorians. Electric railways cover the city. The situation is very beautiful and the inhabitants claim that their climate is PAR EXCELLENCE THE CLIMATE. The population has had several thousand added to it within a few years; in fact, all the towns have increased and are increasing in population. There are a great many new buildings going up in Victoria. The progress of British Columbia in the next five years will be by leaps and bounds. Eastern people are going in there rapidly and new ideas of progress are in the air."

A LEVEL HEAD.

The Advantage of Presence of Mind in an Emergency.

During the late strike on the New York Central Railroad the militia were ordered to be in readiness in case of a riot, but they were not called out.

In an interview, Gov. Hill said the troops were not to be called upon except in case of an emergency. The emergency had not arisen, therefore they would not be ordered out. He remarked that this was the first great strike with which he had had experience, and he did not propose to lose his head; the only point at which there had been serious trouble was at Syracuse, and there a deputy sheriff had lost his head and precipitated an encounter.

The strike continued several weeks, and there was riotous action at various points along the road, but the civil athorities were able to cope with it without calling on the militia.

The test of a man's real ability comes when an emergency arises which makes a hasty call on his good judgment and discretion. The man who retains his presence of mind, maintains his equipoise and exercises sound discretion at such critical junctures, is to be relied on and will be put to the front.

Men with level heads have the staying qualities which do not falter in the face of danger. Otis A Cole, of Kinsman, O., June 10, 1890, writes: "In the fall of 1888 I was feeling very ill. I consulted a doctor and he said I had Bright's disease of the kidneys and that he would not stand in my shoes for the State of Ohio." But he did not lose courage or give up; he says: "I saw the testimonial of Mr. John Coleman, 100 Gregory st., New Haven, Conn., and I wrote to him. In due time I received an answer, stating that the testimonial that he gave was genuine and not overdrawn in any particular. I took a good many bottles of Warner's Safe Cure; have not taken any for one year."

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I take this method of informing you that I have resigned my seat as one of your representatives in the Legislative Assembly.

Experience has convinced me that to do full justice to so large and important a constituency involves more work than is compatible with my other official duties and the state of my health.

In thus severing my official connection with you, I desire to thank you for the confidence placed in me in having always returned me at the head of the poll, and to assure you that although sitting for another constituency, I shall continue to take a warm interest in your D'strict, and hope to be able to co operate with your representatives in promoting its prosperity.

Faithfully yours,
JOHN ROBSON.
Victoria, Oct. 8, 1890. oc12d-w

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Lands and Works Department,
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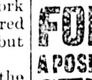
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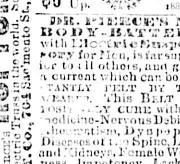

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WHEREAS, the Certificate of Title of Samuel Ricketts, of Lake District, Province of British Columbia, to Section XXII, Lake District, bearing date the 24th day of July, 1873, has been lost and application has been made for duplicate of such certificate. Notice is, therefore, hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
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Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 4th September, 1890. se5

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NOTICES.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of AUSTIN A. ORDANO, Deceased.

The undersigned executors of the will of the deceased have taken out Probate of the same, and hereby request that all debtors to the estate will make payment, and all creditors will present their bills forthwith to

JAMES BOAL,
EDWARD H. FORREST,
PASQUATE FRUMENTO,
P.O. Address Corfield, V.I. The Executors.

SALOON AND STORE FOR SALE.

The executors of the will of Austin A. Ordano, deceased, invite tenders which will be received up to the 20th September instant, for the purchase of the lease for six years, retail liquor license, stock of goods, goodwill and fixtures of the saloon and store known as the "CENTRAL HOUSE," situate at McPherson's station and carried on by the deceased at the time of his death. Neither the highest nor any tender necessarily accepted. se7

Re Uriah Nelson, deceased, Notice to Debtors and Creditors.

ALL PERSONS having claims or demands against the estate of Uriah Nelson, late of the city of Victoria, deceased, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing duly authenticated to the undersigned on or before the 4th day of November 1890, otherwise the same will be barred; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Dated this 3rd day of October, 1890.

J. C. HAYES,
Agent for John Grant and Mrs. Nelson, executor and executrix of the will of said deceased.
oc4 Box 415 Victoria, B. C.

Re. Frederick W. H. Wright, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the estate of the above named deceased are requested to forward the same on or before the 18th day of October next, and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to pay the same forthwith to

JEANETTE WRIGHT,
Executrix, or to
F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.,
Acting for the Executrix.
Dated this 18th day of September, A.D. 1890.
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NOTICE TO MARINERS.

AS WORK WILL AT ONCE BE COMmenced to take out Beaver Rock it is requested that all vessels coming in or going out of Victoria harbor must give the scows or barges employed in this work as broad a berth as possible, and also to go at slow speed.

A red light will be exhibited on the southeast corner of the scow or barge from dark until daylight while the work is being done.

W. R. CLARKE,
sep10-1m Harbor Master.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

THE MASTERS AND PILOTS BRINGING vessels into Victoria Harbor, and wishing to anchor after having done so temporarily, must apply at once to the Harbor Master for an anchorage berth.

W. R. CLARKE,
se10 1m Harbor Master.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned and known as the Star Ship Yard Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent, E. Kermode and S. McC. Smith retiring from the business, which will, in future, be carried on by O. Warner from date, by whom all liabilities are assumed and to whom all accounts are payable.

O. WARNER,
S. McC. SMITH,
Sept. 30, 1890. E. KERMODE.

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oc1-1m O. WARNER.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT thirty days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the following described tract of land, situate on the first Gordon Pasha Lake, New Westminster District:

Commencing from a post on the North side of the lake, about 20 chains from the outlet, thence North 60 chains, thence East 60 chains, thence South 60 chains more or less to the lake, thence following the lake shore in a Westerly direction to the place of commencement, containing 360 acres more or less.

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E. J. PALMER,
oc2 Manager.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described land, situated in New Westminster District:—Commencing at a stake about 2½ miles from the head of Theodosia Arm on Merril's north line, about 1½ miles west of Merril's north-east corner; thence running east 200 chains; thence north 60 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 60 chains; thence west 100 chains; thence south 120 chains to commencement post marked "W. P. Sayward.

W. P. SAYWARD.
September 22, 1890. oc10-1m

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a public highway along a line described as follows:—Commencing at the intersection of Cordova Bay Road with the north boundary of Section 121, Lake District; thence in a westerly direction following the north boundary of Sections 12, 27 and 48, Lake District to the Saanich Road.

M. MORRISSEY.
Victoria, B.C., Oct. 9th, 1890. oc10 1m

NOTICE.

DURING my absence from the province Mr. Thos. Trounce holds my power of attorney
JOHN RICHARDS.
Victoria, Oct. 3rd, 1890. oc4-1m

NOTICE.

I, JOHN H. WOOD, of The Club stables, Yates street, hereby give notice that I am not liable for any debts contracted by Edwin Bevan, as keeper of the Club Livery Stables in Yates street in this city, prior to October 1st, 1890, or otherwise.

oc9 JOHN H. WOOD.

B. C. BREWING COMPANY.

AT A MEETING of the promoters of the B. C. Brewing Co., held on the 8th inst., it was agreed that the clause in the prospectus providing that certain shares be donated to them for their services and expenses be expunged; also that the promoters shall hand over to the shareholders all documents now in their possession, and that the future conduct of the company's business be left in the shareholders hands.

A general meeting of the shareholders and parties interested will be held on the 13th inst., at 8 p. m., at the office of Walker, Pemberton & Dumbleton, for the purpose of taking into consideration the above agreement; to elect officers and to transact other business.

J. C. BALES,
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CAUTION.—Vice-Chancellor Sir W. Page Wood stated that Dr. J. Collis Browne was, undoubtedly, the inventor of Chlorodyne; that the story of the defendant Freeman was deliberately untrue, which, he regretted to say, had been sworn to.—See "The Times," July 13, 1864.

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CHAPTER IV.

May Gilchrist had not overestimated her persuasive powers. A call on Mrs. Wayt, undertaken as soon as she had seen, from her watch-window, the tall, black figure of the clergyman issue from his gate, and take his way down-town, won his wife's sanction to the presence of her sister and daughter in the orchard that afternoon to watch Miss Gilchrist's brother upon a sketch he proposed to begin before the apple-blossoms fell.

"I shall be there, of course," the young diplomatist mentioned, casually. "I am studying art in an amateurish way, under my brother's direction. I dearly enjoy seeing him paint. His hand is so firm and rapid, and his eye so true! Your daughter tells me she is fond of drawing. March and I would be only too happy to render any assistance in our power to forward her studies in that line."

"My sister has spoken to me of your kindness, and his," Mrs. Wayt answered, thoughtfully. "She told me, also, that she had referred the question of accepting Mr. Gilchrist's generous proposition to me. Hesitation seems ungracious, but my poor child is very excitable, and in nerve so unfit to work long at any thing, that I have doubted the expediency of allowing her to become interested in her favorite pursuit to the extent necessary for the acquisition of any degree of skill."

Nevertheless, May went home victorious, and Mrs. Wayt, disquiet in eye and soul, sought her sister and detailed the steps of the siege and the surrender.

"Refusal was impossible without risking the displeasure of influential parishioners, or exciting suspicions that might be more hurtful," she concluded.

Hetty was cleaning silver in the dining-room. Over her buff gingham she wore a voluminous bib-apron; housewifely solicitude informed her whole personality. Her hair was turned back from her temples, and the roughened roll showed rust-red lights in a bar of sunshine crossed by her head as she moved. The lines of her face had what Hester called "their forenoon *sag*," downward inclination that signified as much care as she could bear. She rubbed a tablespoon until she could see each loosened hair and drooping line in it, before unclosing her thinned lips to reply. Even then, her speech was reluctant.

"The child is yours, Frances — not mine—dearly as I love her. I understand as well as you, how cruel it seems to deny her what is, in itself, a harmless pleasure. Still we have agreed up to this time that it was inexpedient to give people the run of the house, and this looks like a straight road to that."

She did not glance up in speaking, or afterwards. Her accent was unimpassioned, her thoughts apparently engrossed in the business of bringing polish out of tarnish.

"There are circumstances that may alter cases—and premises," returned Mrs. Wayt, deprecatingly. "I can not but feel that we may begin to argue and determine from a different standpoint. I wish you could be a little more sanguine, dear."

"You don't wish it more than I do, sister! I wasn't built upon the 'Hope on, Hope ever' plan. My utmost effort in that direction is to make the best of what can not be bettered. And since you have said 'Yes' to this painting scheme we will think only of what a boom it will be to Hester. The new cook is a more imminent difficulty. This house is large, and the salary excellent, I admit, but it would have been wise to wait until our arrival before engaging her."

She knew that her sister was as much surprised as herself at Mr. Wayt's commisson to Mrs. Gilchrist, also, that the wife would not plead this ignorance in self-defence.

"Homer, you and I could have divided the housework, as we did in other places," continued Hetty, attacking a row of forks, now that the spoons were done with, "and we could hire a woman by the day to wash and iron. The cook may justify Mrs. Gilchrist's recommendation. I dare say she will. Only—but I'll not utter another croak to-day! You are an angelic optimist, and I am given over to pessimism of the opposite type. We will accept Mary Ame, and the rest of the goods the Fairhill gods provide, including the open-air studio, eat, drink, and be merry, and make up our minds to-morrow we *won't* die! I'd seal the covenant with a kiss if I were quite certain that I am not silicon-ed up to the eyes."

Mrs. Wayt bore a pained and heavy heart to the nursery and her mending-basket. She loved Hetty fondly, and with what abundant reason no one knew so well as the heroic wife of a selfishly-eccentric man. She trusted her sister's sterling sense, and, in most instances, was willing to abide by her judgment, but there were radical differences in their views upon certain subjects. The very pains Hetty took to avert open discussion of what lay like a carking blight upon the spirits of both, caused friction and rawness, and the feigned levity with which she closed the door upon the topic would have been insult from any one else. She had no alternative but to submit; no help but in the Refuge of all pure souls, tempted almost out of measure by the sins and perversities of those dearest to them. Upon the knees of her heart she besought wisdom and comfort, and—sweet satire upon the pious duty of self-examination!—forgiveness for her intolerance of others' foibles!

Baby Annie was building block-houses upon the floor, and filling them with dandelions. Homer had brought a small basketful up to her just before Mrs. Wayt was summoned to her visitor, and had helped the child erect a castle while the mother was below. Upon her entrance, he shuffled out as sheepishly as if she had detected him rifling the pockets of her husband's Sunday clothes. They lay over a chair by her work-table. While she prayed, her fingers plied the needle upon a ripped lining and two loose buttons.

"Hee, mamma," entreated the little one. "Ho many dandeylons! Annie make house for dee papa!" The mother stooped to kiss her; a tear splashed upon the mass of wilting golden disks packed into papa's treasure-chamber. At the same age Hester had prattled of "dee papa," and was his faithful shadow wherever he would allow her to follow. He had been too busy of late years and too distraught by various anxieties to take much notice of the younger children, but he had made a pet of little Hester. He used to call her "Lassie with glory crowned," as he twined and burnished her sunny curls around his fingers. Annie was a loving little darling, but neither so sprightly nor so beautiful as her first-born at the same age. She worshiped her father, and he was beginning to recognize and be pleased by her preference.

"Poor Percy!"

"Papa hick?" asked the child, startled by the ejaculation.

"No, my darling. Papa is very well. Mamma is only sorry! sorry! *sorry!*"

"Horry! horry! *horry!* Mamma horry! horry! *horry!*" While she crammed the yellow flowers into the castle, the baby made the words into a song, catching intonation and emphasis as they had escaped her mother's lips.

Dandelions dying were as fair to her as dandelions golden-crisp in the meadow-grass. A drop of blood red from the heart would mean no more than a coral bead.

At three o'clock, Hester's chair was drawn by Homer into the orchard. The painter, his sister, his dog and his easel were already in place. March had sketched in the arbor, and indicated the figures sufficiently to reveal the purpose of the picture.

Blossom-time is short, but fortunately, the weather that week was phenomenally equable for May. In eight days the painting was finished. The reader may have noticed it at the academy exhibition the next winter, where it was catalogued as "The Defence." Hetty's portrait and pose were admirably rendered, and the bound of the big St. Bernard was fiercely spirited. But the wonder of the group was the occupant of the low wicker carriage.

"My baby-daughter!" faltered Mrs. Wayt, on first seeing it, and no more words would come.

To herself and to March, later and confidentially, Hetty spoke of it as "Hester glorified." At times, she was almost afraid to look at it. It was the face of an infant, but an infant whose soul had outleaped the limitations of years. The filmy gold of her hair lay, cloud-like, about her, her perfectly-molded hands were clasped in the fearless delight of ignorance as she leaned forward to welcome the enemy her custodian was ready to beat off. It was Hester in every lineament.

Even the baby knew it. But it was Hester as her brothers and sisters would never see her unless among the fadeless blossoms of the world where crooked things will be made straight.

March Gilchrist was not poetical except with his brush. It was his tongue, his song, his story. Through it, Hetty Alling first learned to know him, yet they were never strangers after that earliest meeting in the orchard. She was a capital sitter, and he lingered over her portrait as he dared not over Hester's for fear of wearying her. While Hetty posed, and he painted, May and Hester became warm friends. Miss Gilchrist had her own sketch-book, and March improvised an easel for it which was attached to the wheeled chair, in desk-fashion. Under May's tutelage, Hester made a study of apple-blossoms, and another of plumy grasses which the overlooker praised with honest warmth, and promised to keep forever as souvenirs of the "pink-and-white week." The robins were so used to the sight of the social group that they exchanged tender confidences freely, overhead, as to summer plans and prospective birdlings. Thor's massive bulk flattened, daily, the same area of sunny turf, and he may have had canine views as to the folly of working when the sun was warm and the sod softest. The orchard, where every tree was a mighty bouquet, was an impervious screen between the party and the streets and such windows as commanded the slope.

"It is paradise, with rows upon rows of shining, fluffy angels to keep out the rest of the world!" said Hester, on the afternoon of the last sitting. "I'm glad it is we who are inside! And not another soul!"

March was dabbling his brushes in a wide-mouthed bottle of turpentine, preparatory to putting them up.

"Nothing exclusive about her — is there?" he laughed to Hetty, in mock admiration.

She answered in the same vein:

"She was always an incorrigible aristocrat!"

"Say a beggarly aristocrat, and free your mind!" retorted Hester, good-humoredly. "I don't care who knows it. Who doesn't prefer a select coterie to a promiscuous 'crush?' I'd like to dig out this orchard just as I would a square of turf, and set it down in the middle of the South seas (wherever they may be) where the trees wouldn't shed their blossoms the whole year around, and we four—with the robins and Thor thrown in, ornamentally—might paint and talk and live forever and a day. I used to wonder what answer I would make to the fairy who offered three wishes—but I am quite ready for her now. I'd fuse them all into one!"

"Are you sure? Going! Going! the last call! *Gone!*" cried March, bringing down his biggest brush *a la* auctioneer's hammer upon Thor's head.

"Gone it is!" responded Hester, folding her tiny hands upon her heart, and closing her eyes in an ecstacy of satisfaction. "Let nobody speak for five minutes. (Look at your watch, Mr. Gilchrist!) For five minutes we will make believe that the deed is done, and we are translated. I hear the surf on the shores of the 'dear little isle of our own.'"

"Where the winds never sigh, and the skies never weep! Hush!"

They humored this one of her caprices, as they had others. She was full of fancies, some odd, some ghastly, some graceful. Even practical May yielded obedience to the mandate, and, laying her head against the bole of the tree,

HE LINGERED OVER HER PORTRAIT.

met the bright eye of the mother-robin peering over the edge of her nest with what May chose to interpret as a wink of intelligent amusement.

"She asked me as plainly as dumb show could ask, 'who would provide three meals a day for the happy exclusives,' and, when I alluded to bread-fruit trees and beefsteak geraniums, wanted to know 'where ovens and grid-irons would come from,' said May, afterward; "That formed the basis of *my* five minute reverie."

"My soul, to-day,
Is far away,
Sailing the Vesuvian bay;
My winged boat,
A bird afloat,
Swims 'round the purple peaks remote."

So runs the poem, between the lines of which might be written the exultant, "*Absent from the body!*" Hester's soul had the poet's power of "drifting" into absolute idealization. She was used to building with dream-stuff. In the time she had allotted, she lived out a lifetime, to tell of which would require hours and many pages. That she paid for the wide sweep into the remote and the never-to-be, by reaction bitterer than death, never dissuaded her from other voyages of the "winged boat."

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LOCAL.

Steamer Louise has been chartered for a trip to Port Townsend next week.

It is expected that the Rithet dredge will be placed at work at the outer harbor improvements at the beginning of next week.

Steamer Maude sails for Alberni to-day, carry-mails, freight and passengers.

Bark John Hill, which arrived from Yokohama on Tuesday night, has been chartered to load wheat at Seattle or Tacoma for the U. K.

T. W. Carter's neat little sloop, Lizzie, has been sold to a party of three young gentlemen. An advertisement in THE COLONIST did the business.

Robert Ward & Co's monthly freight and shipping report for September states that tonnage, both for lumber and wheat, continues in very short supply, most of the vessels heading this way having been chartered to arrive at full rates. For lumber several steamers have been taken for Australian account at increased rates. The British bark Titania, with general cargo from London, which arrived during the month, returns with salmon, having been chartered prior to arrival @ 42s. 6d.

PERSONAL.

Thos. Ellis, of Pentiction, is in the city.

W. R. Angus, of Montreal, is in the city.

A. A. Sandeman and wife are in the city.

J. K. Kerr went over to Portland last night.

James Hutcheson went over the Sound this morning.

B. M. Godral and Wm. Godral, of England, are at the Driard.

H. K. Prior and Richard Hall retuurned from Vancouver last night.

A. W. Vowell, Indian Commissioner, is visiting Lillooet and Chilcotin.

H. S. Mason returned by the Premier yesterday afternoon from the Sound.

Miss M. Stewart, of Vancouver, came over last night to visit Victoria friends.

Jas. A. Laidlaw and Thos. E. Ladner, the well known canners are in the city.

Hon. Justice Walkem and Mrs. Walkem returned from the upper country last night.

Wm. Gill, M. W. Waitt, and Thomas Hooper were inward passengers by the Islander last night.

Thomas Gorrie, an old resident of the city, is in St. Joseph's hospital, suffering from dropsical trouble.

Assistant Commissioner T. R. Smith, of the Hudson Bay Co., left by the steamer Premier yesterday evening for New Westminster, on receipt of the news of the death of Capt. Dunn.

THE FARMER DELEGATES

Will Not Arrive in Victoria from the Mainland Till Friday Evening.

(Special to THE COLONIST.)

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 15. The British farmer delegates will reach Victoria Friday evening.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 15.—So many applications for stock in the new brewery enterprise have been received that notice has been given that as soon as the American Brewing Association is fully organized a limited number of shares of stock will be offered to the public.

LITTLE LOCALS.

Capt. Dixon's case will be again before the Supreme Court this afternoon.

A large assortment of I. X. L. and Roger's cuttlery at 91 Douglas streeet.

The ladies of the R. E. Church will hold one of their pleasant conversaziones on Monday next.

It is understood that ex-Mayor McLeod Stewart, of Ottawa, will be appointed a senator shortly.

Another carload of stoves at Geo. Powell & o.s, Cheapside.

The semi-annual examinations of the B.C. Medical Council will be held at Vancouver on November 4th.

One thousand cans of Northern salmon were shipped to the Eastern market, via the C. P. R. this morning.

Coal hods, all prices, at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

The flags of all the shipping in the harbor yesterday were half masted out of respect for the late Capt. Dunn.

The time for receiving tenders for clearing the new ground of the Saanich Agricultural Association expired yesterday.

Only sixty cents for a self wringing mop at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

One drunk, one James' Bay bridge case, and one regarding Johnson street sewer, comprised the police calendar yesterday.

Thirteen summonses were issued yesterday, returnable to-day, dealing with the non-registration of trucks, cabs and express wagons.

Windsor & Newton's artist's colors at 91 Douglas street.

The case of Boscowitz v. Cooper, which was to have been heard in the Supreme Court yesterday, has been adjourned until the 20th inst.

Inspect the fine assortment of China now opening at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas St.

The Premier's freight yesterday comprised a car load of sugar, two car loads miscellaneous merchandise, 95 cases champagne and several hand organs.

A diver's barge, stationed near the C.P.N. wharves, took a dive to the bottom of the harbor of its own accord yesterday. It was recovered, but little damaged.

Unique music cabinets, ladies' secretaries, tea tables, shaving stands, etc., at John Weiler's.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Paris Carter took place yesterday afternoon, Rev. Coverdale Watson officiating and a large number of frends attending.

An unclean Siwash was arrested yesterday morning, charged with stealing cigars from a Chinese brother. The case was compromised by the transfer of 50c.

Razors in cases, ladies companions, a new line of pocket cutlery and shaving materials, just arrived, at Fox's, 78 Government street.

John Ross, a young man employed at the Victoria Driving Park, had his face badly cut by a kicking horse on Tuesday evening. The injury required medical attendance.

Lord and Lady Aberdeen left Vancouver for the East, yesterday morning. On Tuesday evening the Earl was presented with addresses by the Scotch and Irish societies of Vancouver.

The name of the Sir William Wallace Society has received a few additional words, and now reads The Sir William Wallace Friendly and Sick Benefit Society. The admission is fixed at $7, and dues are 50 cents per month.

Artistic novelties in bamboo furniture, just received by John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort street.

Chas. A. Davis, manager of the famous melodramatic success, "The Stowaway," is in the city perfecting the final arrangements for the presentation of the play at the Victoria Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday nights.

The Refuge Home has been remembered by Mrs. Frith, Mrs. S. Seant, Mr. Shaw, Miss Susan Jeffery, Mrs. M. Humber, Mrs. A. J. McLellan, Mrs. John Finch, Mrs. V. Lane, Mrs. McMillan, and a friend, and the matron returns thanks.

The Bank of British Columbia at Seattle has brought suit against the firms of Heinrich & Co., C Langert and W. S. Kasiska, to recover $1,000 due on a promissory note made last May. The bank wants eight per cent. interest and costs.

The C. P. R. are selling excursion tickets to Banff and return at $50. These tickets are limited to 60 days and allow passengers the privilege of stopping off at Harrison Hot Springs, Glacier and Field. A. Cameron, agent

Henry Cassidy, general agent of the freight department of the Chicago, St. Paul & Kansas City railroad, has arrived in Seattle from Chicago, and will have head quarters in Seattle, Portland or Tacoma. Mr. Cassidy takes the position recently vacated by E. C. Mufily, whose whereabouts are unknown

SWIFT SEA BIRDS.

Two Noted Eastern Schooners Purchased for the Victoria Sealing Fleet.

News was received by letter yesterday of the purchase at Halifax, N.S., of the famous little 97 ton schooner Maud S., for Brown Bros. of this city, who propose to use her in sealing. The Maud S. was built at Halifax in 1886, and, like her famous namesake, has a record for speed that is unsurpassed, even in the province of swift sailers from which she hails. Captain McKiel, of this city, made the purchase, at what figure is not mentioned, and will command her on her long trip round to her new home.

The, also fast, schooner Geneva, of Lunenberg, has been purchased for Messrs. Hall & Goepel, to increase their sealing fleet. She is a tidy little boat of about the same tonnage as the Maud S., and admirably adapted for her new business. She will make the voyage in command of Captain Sieward, who "picked her out," and who will start in company with the Maud S.

A PERSONAL EXPLANATION.

TO THE EDITOR:—Referring to this day's impression of your journal, in your unexpected kindly and courteous notice of myself and my plans, I am termed a "Baptist missionary in London, England." "Ipsissimis verbis" the statement is not inaccurate; for I have been in constant service among the London churches, and was consulted by the officers of three of those churches about my willinghood to assume the ministry among them. But "London Missionary" is a class term in England applied to a number of paid teachers who itinerate from house to house. And I desire to disclaim any connection with that body. I was formerly Principal of Bath House College, Twickenham, in the S.W. Postal district of London, and my time much occupied in the duties of that position And my continuous work in the ministry diverged greatly from the lines laid down by the London Missionary Society.

Thanking you in advance for allowing me to make this correction,

I am, etc.,
D. BURNHAM PEGG.

Photographs taken by Chas. Macmunn on the Islander's recent trip north for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co.

JOHN DOHERTY, GENERAL SCAVENGER.
Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Mr. G Doughty, cor. Blanchard and Fort streets, Foil & Co.'s, Fort street, or Cochrane & Munn's, Yates and Douglas sts, will be promptly attended to. *ap26-1y

A CHANGE NEEDED.

TO THE EDITOR:—I, with many others, wish to ask, through the columns of your paper, why it is that the management of the Victoria theatre allow seats to be sold in the dress circle to members of the demi-monde? It is certainly not very pleasant for a gentleman to take his wife or sister to the theatre and find sitting next her a woman of the town who figures periodically in the police court on a charge of keeping a disorderly house. Last Tuesday night I noticed two of Victoria's fairest daughters sitting one on either side of one of the lowest of the low, and who did not even have the decency to behave herself while there, but persistently ogled every man who came within range of her vision. This certainly could not have been very pleasant for them. If the management is afraid of losing the few dollars they gain by selling tickets to this class of people at least let them put them by themselves and not mix them indiscriminately with respectable people who go there for amusement, and do not like to have their pleasure spoiled by having to sit next such persons. I, for one, would advise that if they cannot be kept out let them have the theatre to themselves, and let respectable ladies and gentlemen stay away.
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JNO. TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT.

Has removed to new offices corner of Broad Street and Trounce Avenue. feb20tf

CAUTION.

THE public is hereby cautioned against negotiating three notes drawn by me, for which I will not be responsible, viz:

First one, $500, three months after date, Aug. 25, 1890.

Second one, $567, three months after date, Nov. 25, 1890.

Third one, $198.88, six months after date, Aug. 25, 1890.

Made in favor of George Everton, of Chilliwhack, B. C., and payable at the Bank of B. C., New Westminster, as value has not been received for them.

(Signed) SILAS FADER.
oc9-3m Chilliwhack.

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EDWD. MALLANDAINE,
oct14 Architect.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO the 15th of October for grubbing and clearing, plowing and levelling, and building a Race Track according to plans and specifications which can be seen at the Saanich Exhibition on the 9th, and afterwards at Brackman & Ker's office, Victoria, or at the residence of the President, S. Sandover.
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H. BRETHOUR,
oc3-2w Secretary.

TENDERS.

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Notice to Contractors.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to 4 o'clock p. m. on the 17th of December next, at the office of the undersigned for the Construction of Sewers for the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B.C.

For particulars of plans and specifications, apply at the City Hall, Victoria, on or after the 15th day of November, next ensuing.

Five per centum of the approximate amount of the work tendered for will be required to be deposited with a tender to ensure its consideration. This may be done either in Cash or by Certified Cheque on some Bank in British Columbia. All Cash or Certified Cheques to be returned to unsuccessful tenderers.

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By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
Victoria, B. C., C. M. C.
Sept. 30, 1890. oct1

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Tenders to be endorsed "Shot and Shell."

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper.

Royal Naval Yard, Esquimalt,
13th October, 1890.
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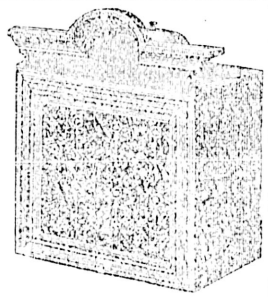
MUNICIPAL.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for the Sewerage Loan Debentures," will be received at the office of the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of November next, at 4 p m., for the purchase of Debentures of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, amounting to $300,000 issued under authority of the Sewerage Loan By-Law, 1890, the Municipal Act, 1889, and Amending Act, 1890.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.

Any information desired may be obtained upon application to the undersigned.

By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk's Office, C.M.C.
Victoria, B.C., Sep. 29, 1890. oct



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A GENTLEMAN engaged in business wishes for apartments or to live with a quiet family in or near Victoria. Stabling for saddle horse required. Apply "Z.," COLONIST. o9

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"Creditors Trust Deeds Act, 1890."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Daniel McPhadden, residing in the city of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, contractor, has by deed dated the 6th day of October, A. D. 1890, and executed by the said Daniel McPhadden on the said 6th day of October, made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors to John Nicholles of the said city of Victoria, merchant, and James Muirhead, also of the said city of Victoria, planing mill owner.

Said deed was executed by the said John Nicholles on the 9th day of October, 1890.

Victoria, B.C., October 13th, 1890. oct14-1w